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Are we still in Indiana? Your kids will wonder as they descend into a recreation of the most complete tomb ever discovered



in the Egyptian Valley of the Kings. It's hands-on fun as they put the sarcophagus back together to find out where the mummy is! It's just one of three exciting parts of the National Geographic Treasures of the Earth exhibit at The Children's Museum of Indianapolis (pg 73). Kids can also dive in to discover whose ship wrecked off the coast of the Dominican Republic. (pictured here)

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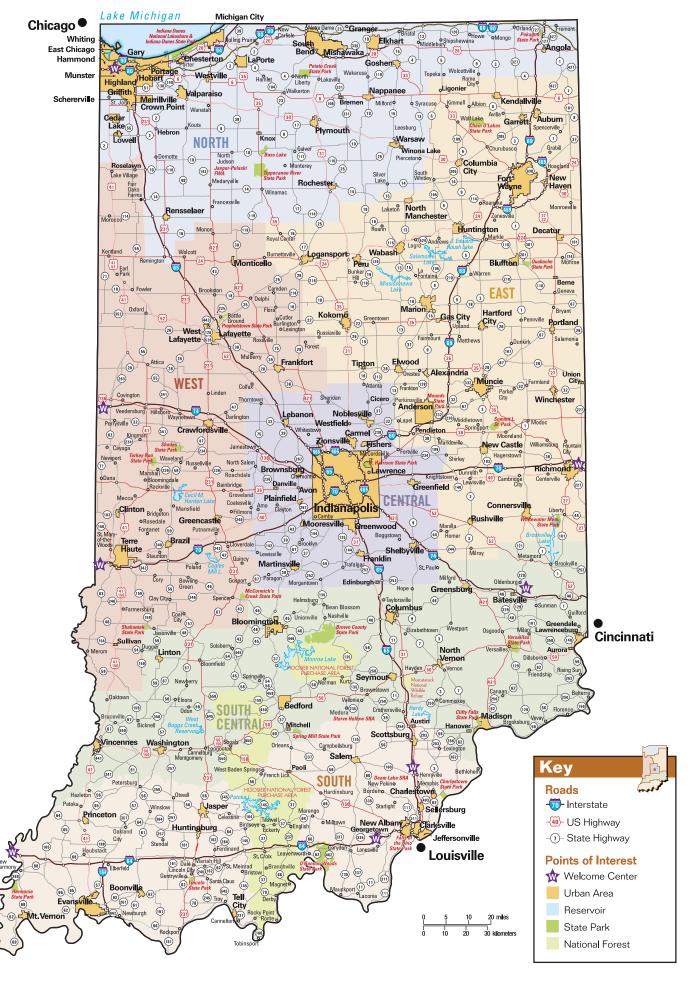
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THAT TRANSFORMED ME

(Yeah, I'm Cool Now!) By Ray Washington



IT IS NOT EASY TO CONVINCE MY CHILDREN, ALYSSA (14) AND SHAWN (10), THAT I'M A COOL DAD. BUT I THINK I MIGHT HAVE FINALLY DONE IT ON OUR WEEKLONG SUMMER VACATION TO EXPERIENCE THE NATURAL HAVENS AND FUN ATTRACTIONS OF NORTHERN INDIANA. AT FIRST, MY WIFE JULIE AND I HEARD THE TYPICAL COMPLAINTS FROM THE KIDS, BUT BY THE END, I THINK WE CONVINCED THEM THAT FAMILY TIME IS NOT ALWAYS BORING.

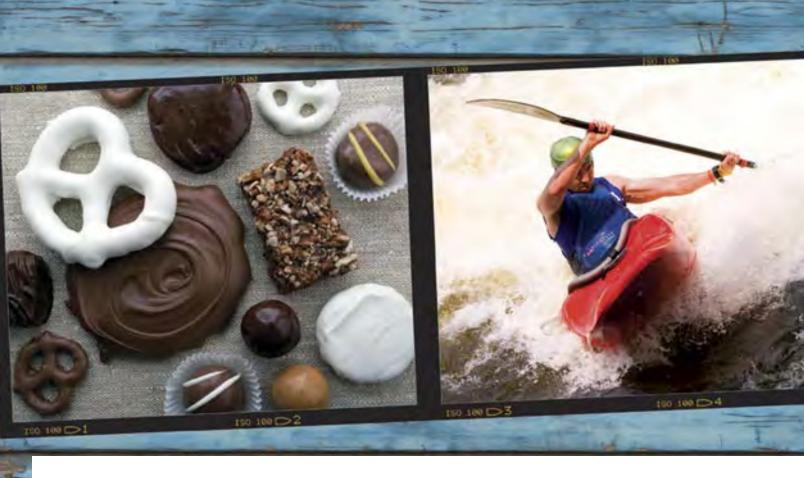
Our journey began in the northwest tip of Indiana, where shoreline, wildlife and history converge. More than 16,000 years ago, the Wisconsin Glacier left its mark on the region when it melted, creating sweeping moraines, dense wetlands, sandy prairies and immense sand dunes. Here we explored the Beyond the Beach Discovery Trail, which showcases the area's hidden treasures beyond the beautiful beachfront on Lake Michigan. Everyone chose a location along the trail to visit.

We started with my wife Julie's pick—Taltree Arboretum and Gardens—in the trail's Moraine Region. Spanning 360 acres atop the Valparaiso moraine, Taltree comprises wetlands, woodlands, prairies and formal gardens. Alyssa, Shawn and I followed as Julie excitedly traipsed through the gardens examining the designs and the plant species. When we walked through the prairie, the kids played hide-and-go-seek in the tall grasses, reminding me that they are not as grown-up as they pretend to be!

Shawn selected Pinhook Bog, much to his squeamish sister's dismay. On a guided tour along the floating boardwalk that crosses the bog, we saw insect-eating plants and sphagnum moss covering the area. The guide said that Pinhook, Indiana's only true bog, was formed by a chunk of glacial ice that melted here, which Shawn thought was pretty cool.

Then Alyssa led us off the nature trail when she asked us to stop at Memorial Opera House in Valparaiso, and Shawn was the one rolling his eyes. Yet the 1893 building

There's nothing like a beach getaway, and it's possible in Indiana along the shores of Lake Michigan.



that has hosted John Philip Sousa and the Marx Brothers was a gorgeous piece of history that was well worth the visit and the tour.

That night we drove to Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore in the trail's Dunes Region to camp for the night. In the morning, we climbed and played on Mount Baldy, the area's largest "living" dune that moves about four feet each year, burying trees in its path. As we stood at the top and gazed out at the view, we could hardly believe that the dune was moving.

Finally, we headed to what I most wanted to see—the historical sites! The Bailly Homestead was built by northwest Indiana's first non-native resident in 1822 as a fur trading post. We explored the house and hiked to the nearby Bailly Cemetery before touring Chellberg Farm, built in 1869. Stepping back in time and imagining life as it was lived many years ago fascinates me.

The trail could have kept us entertained for several days, but there was much more to see in Northern Indiana. So we drove east to the South Bend Chocolate Company, where delicious gourmet

"YES!" EXCLAIMED SHAWN WHEN HE GOT A GLIMPSE OF THE 2,000-FOOT-LONG WHITEWATER COURSE.

treats have been made since 1991. On the "Inside Scoop" tour we learned about and watched chocolate production, sampled yummy treats, made our own chocolate spoons and saw the array of rare and antique chocolate utensils in their Chocolate Museum. My two chocolate-loving women were in heaven, and we left with Cherry Blossoms, Mint Meltaways and Caramel Milks. My wife claims that South Bend's Double Dipped Peanuts with their thick, rich chocolate coating are to die for—we got a pound of those!

Waves were splashing and laughter was abundant at East Race Waterway in downtown South Bend. "Yes!" exclaimed Shawn when he got a glimpse of the 2,000-foot-long whitewater course. We bravely stepped into our rented raft and paddled down the route created on the St. Joseph River. We laughed and screamed as the water tossed us to and fro, then took us over an exhilarating 12-foot drop! I must say we completed the course like pros and high-fived each other as we stepped back onto dry land.

For our final few days, we made our way to the northeast corner of Indiana and stopped at Pokagon State Park in Angola. Beautiful lakes surround the park, beckoning visitors to enjoy waterfront fun; we complied, heading straight for Lake James. Enjoying shoreline access from inside the park, we rented a pontoon and spent the entire day boating, swimming and fishing on Indiana's third-largest lake. Fishing, a favorite pastime of the men in our family, was great. We caught plenty of bass, bluegill and perch that day. Shawn caught an enormous northern pike, too! Julie



and Alyssa fished a little but spent most of the day lying on the boat soaking up some sun.

We spent a cozy night in the park's Potawatomi Inn. Our courtyard room was rustic and comfortable and offered a spectacular view of the lake. The Inn provides two dining options: The historic Dining Room and The Courtyard Café. The Dining Room offered quaint home-cooked meals and a scrumptious buffet for lunch and dinner. The Courtyard Café was nice and convenient when we wanted to grab a quick meal before heading out to explore the park.

The next day, Alyssa was dying to go horseback riding so we headed to the Saddle Barn. An escorted tour around the park atop the majestic animals was a great experience, although I'm afraid that Alyssa will be begging me to buy her a horse now. Then, we played on the lake renting canoes and paddleboats to revel in the lake's scenery. We explored the park's hiking trails and Nature Center and relaxed on Potawatomi Inn's large lakefront porch.

Spending the week playing and laughing with my beautiful wife and wonderful kids was something I will remember for a very long time. Watching them try new experiences, exploring nature together and hanging out every night talking about the day's events was a blast. My kids rarely admit that they have fun with their family, so when they excitedly asked me where we would go on our next family vacation, I knew that our adventure through Northern Indiana had convinced them I was a pretty cool dad.

This trip has something for all the senses: great smells and tastes at South Bend Chocolate Company, splashes and shrieks on the East Race Waterway and outstanding views at Indiana Dunes.

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Giggles to Gournet

A Girlfriend Getaway to Remember

Life gets busier every year. Fortunately, I've found the secret to maintaining my sanity in the midst of it all: escaping with girlfriends every few months. Last spring, four of us left the kids, the careers and our homes for a long weekend of fine wining, dining and relaxing in Eastern Indiana. By Megan Howard



eading out Friday we drove to Roanoke, located southwest of Fort Wayne. Our destination was Joseph Decuis, a AAA Four Diamond award-winning, farm-to-fork restaurant known for its top-notch cuisine. We felt lucky to have escaped a Friday afternoon at the office.

We made it to Roanoke and decided to explore the unique shops in downtown before dinner. Jen's inner art collector came out as soon as we walked through the doors of a specialty art gallery, and she insisted on buying a fabulous painting that would barely fit in the car!

We slowly wandered to the Inn at Joseph Decuis, a bed and breakfast with an upscale atmosphere, to check in. The antique furnishings, turn-of-the-century architecture and on-site Swedish massages, which we booked, made relaxing a simple task.

Though feeling lazy, we made a point to be on time for our reservation back at Joseph Decuis. A place this gourmet is for grown-ups, making kids' fast-food restaurants seem like a distant memory. The seasonal menu ensures that you're always eating fresh, locally grown foods from their nearby farm and others. We simply had to start the evening with their signature Wagyu Beef Carpaccio, and Alicia swore she could taste the farm-raised freshness of the Wagyu. A couple of entrees and wine pairings later, our mouths were still watering for dessert! Sarah and I ordered the decadent Chocolate Bourbon Pecan Cake, while Jen and Alicia devoured the pistachio gelato. Laughter and good conversation were in hearty supply.

The great food didn't stop coming either. At noon the next day we attended a multi-course Vineyard Lunch at Joseph Decuis. One Saturday each month the restaurant features food and wine from another country to let visitors experience the flavors of global cuisine. We were excited that Australia was being highlighted because none of us were familiar with the gourmet flavors of the Outback. The menu certainly transported us to another place as we savored Coconut-Curry Mussel Soup, Baby Octopus Tempura and Joseph Decuis Wagyu Beef Cheek and Lamb Tongue Tortellini. We weren't sure what to expect from these exotic selections, but we found them all incredibly delicious and it was so fun to try several new dishes! A refreshing Mango Cheesecake was the perfect finale to the meal. We all agreed: we're now fans of Australian food.

Waving goodbye to Roanoke we headed southwest to Wabash. First stop, Charley Creek Gardens. We wandered the beautiful gardens and lost ourselves in the labyrinth. Then, after we checked in at Charley Creek Inn, we spent the rest of the afternoon exploring each little nook of the magnificently restored 1920 building. At the Ice Cream Parlor and Candy Shoppe we purchased specialty popcorn homegrown in Indiana. We loaded up on bags to take home to the kids along with some Caramel Sweet Popcorn Glaze for ourselves—yum! We couldn't resist grabbing a selection of South Bend Chocolates either. And of course, Jen made sure we stopped at the Inn's Hoosier Salon where we "oohed" and "aahed" over the fantastic art exhibition.





Relaxing is always on the menu at Joseph Decuis, with Swedish massages at the Inn and locally grown foods at the restaurant. Roanoke offers a metropolitan feel in a small-town setting.









More delicious surprises await at Charley Creel Inn (above), Oak Hill Winery and Honeywell Center (below). Opposite page views of Charley Creek Gardens.







We treated ourselves to a second gourmet dinner at Twenty, a 1920s-style restaurant inside the Charley Creek Inn. While easy on the wallet, Twenty's dishes impressed our eyes and our taste buds. The Lobster Stuffed Grouper was the ultimate creamy seafood delight, while the Chicken Puttanesca with its parmesan-panko crust, fresh mozzarella and roasted tomatoes left us craving a second helping.

After dinner came the moment Sarah, our resident music aficionado, had been waiting for-a concert. So we freshened up and walked down to the Honeywell Center, a 1,500-seat theater dedicated to bringing arts education and entertainment to Wabash. Choosing a weekend for our trip was a difficult decision because the Honeywell Center's season featured so many amazing shows. A performance by The Manchester Symphony Orchestra, Fiddler on the Roof and Dance Kaleidoscope: The Elvis Project were all on the roster. We ended up choosing to hear the smooth vocal skills of The Osmond Brothers, musical legends who have been performing for 50 years. What a great choice! Their lively mix of jazz, rock, pop, country and barbershop music had us tapping our toes and singing along in the magnificent Ford Theater. There was definitely not a bad seat in the house, and the acoustics made it sound like they were right next to us! We giggled like girls and enjoyed cutting loose as the amazing concert lifted our spirits and re-energized our minds.

We may not be quite as young as we used to be, but snuggling into bed sleepover-style at the Charley Creek Inn took us back to days gone by. The bold colors, elegant decorations and cozy furniture made for a homey, relaxing stay. Getting out of the house and letting other people clean up after us never felt so good!

There was still one thing missing from the trip—a delicious glass of Indiana-made wine! We slept in Sunday morning, then made the short trip to Oak Hill Winery in Converse located south of Wabash. We visited their carriage house for a free tasting of sweet and dry wines made from a variety of fruits. Oak Hill uses old-fashioned methods to make natural, delicious wines. We sipped the tasty wines, bantered over which was the best and just enjoyed being together. Sometimes the simplest moments in life are the sweetest.

Oak Hill's nouveau Van Buren wine made from Indianagrown Chambourcin grapes was my personal favorite, though their sweet Indiana Apple wine was near perfection. I loved their creations so much that I joined their Wine Club, paying a flat, upfront price to get two bottles of their unique wines every month for one year. I figured these bottles of wine would make great birthday, anniversary and holiday gifts for friends and relatives throughout the year.

We each left with a couple bottles of our favorite wines, which stuffed the car to its capacity with all the weekend goodies! Heading home, Sarah said she felt like we had experienced the ultimate combination of gourmet foods, sophisticated accommodations, classic entertainment and simple pleasures. I couldn't agree with her more.



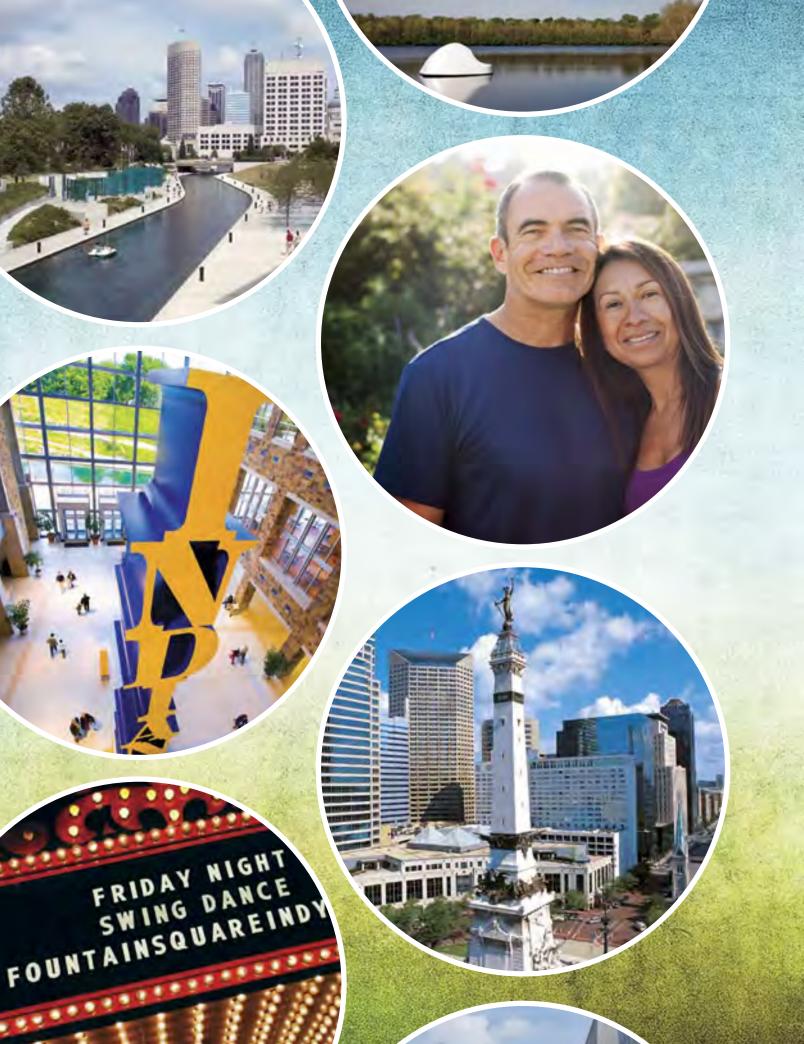


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My wife and I have lived in rural Indiana for most of our lives and we're very happy here. But when our 20th anniversary came around, I knew we had to celebrate in style. I'm a country boy, but my wife loves art, music and history, so I decided to take her to the big city for a taste of culture she wouldn't soon forget. By Glenn Fuller

So when the day came, we found ourselves in Indianapolis a couple of hours from home, but it felt like we were much farther away. The tall buildings, upscale restaurants and exciting attractions promised to make this our best anniversary yet. Although I planned the trip with her in mind, I quickly found myself having a great time.

Upon arrival Cindy and I headed straight for the up and coming Fountain Square Cultural District on the southeast side of Indianapolis featuring ethnic restaurants, art galleries, antique shops and eclectic nightlife. This neighborhood has been a buzzing commercial and cultural center since the early 1900s and we could sense the history around us as we wandered the streets and saw the beautiful, central fountain that gives the area its name.

The atmosphere on the square was lively as we popped in and out of art galleries searching for just the right piece to take home. At the Murphy Art Center, artists painted, sculpted and drew masterpieces right before our eyes! I don't even draw a good stick figure, so I was impressed by each stroke of a pencil or brush. Cindy took me to the Indianapolis Museum of Contemporary Art a few blocks away, and I must say that their exhibit taught me a new appreciation for the thoughtful beauty of modern artistic styles.

Left column from top: Canal, Indiana State Museum, Fountain Square Cultural District; Right column from top: The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park, Downtown

ou should have seen how big Cindy's eyes got when we walked into the Indianapolis Downtown Antique Mall and learned it housed 40 antique shops! She was glowing as she rummaged through pottery, glassware and furniture, finally convincing me to buy her a charming mahogany bookshelf from the turn of the century.

When Cindy finished her shopping excursion, we went out on the town in Fountain Square. A delicious and exotic dinner of Luxor Restaurant's Mediterranean cuisine was followed by a swing dance lesson at the Fountain Square Theatre. In spite of my two left feet, we jumped and jived to the tunes of The Stardusters, an Indianapolis music group with a unique, Big Band sound. Between the dinner, music and dancing, we felt like we were dating again!

The next day took us to the center of downtown Indianapolis—White River State Park. We didn't expect to find a gorgeous, natural haven in the middle of a city, but White River State Park is just that. We toured the park on Segways, walked along the beautiful canal and admired the magnificent pieces of public art. Yellow Butterfly, with its simple but perfect design, was our favorite piece. Getting to the park was a breeze, too. Parking garages are in abundance downtown, and we found none of the traffic you'd expect in a big city.

We didn't have to get back in the car to find more to do. Downtown Indianapolis sure was designed with pedestrians in mind with so many attractions and restaurants within walking distance of each other. White River State Park itself houses three great museums, a ballpark, a zoo, an IMAX Theater and more. The Indiana State Museum was our favorite part. The building's incredible, Indiana limestone architecture is just the beginning! We explored three permanent exhibition floors of Indiana history, seeing amazing artifacts that told the cultural, scientific and historical stories of our state—everything from moon rocks to butter churns. I teased Cindy, saying she probably remembered the days of butter churns, until she smiled and gently reminded me that I'm a year older than she is!

The state museum also has halls reserved for bringing in a variety of exhibits from around the world. We caught the Frugal and Fancy exhibit, showcasing American quilts that reflected both formal European needlework traditions and informal Scots-Irish scrap quilt styles. These designs merged as immigrants from various countries came into contact with each other in the New World. The range of quilt styles in the exhibit illustrated the intricacy and diversity of America.

Our quest for fabulous art took us out of downtown and up to the Indianapolis Museum of Art, which recently added an art park to its already fantastic collection. Built on 100 acres that includes forests and a lake, the Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park is one of a kind. We strolled along the woodland trails, admiring the eight incredible pieces of modern art

Fountain Square, IMA 100 Acres: Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park, Indianapolis Downtown Antique Mall and The Palladium in Carmel Fountain Square photo courtesy of DiscoverFountainSquare.com; 100 Acres photo courtesy of Indianapolis Museum of Art; Antique Mall photo courtesy of Indianapolis Convention & Visitors Association: The Palladium courtesy of Hamilton Convention and Visitors Bureau

the Lake made us giggle like children as we attempted to sit on the curvy, winding, yellow benches found throughout the park. We stood in quiet contemplation after walking through the tunnel that leads to Park of the Laments, smiled at the whimsical Funky Bones sculpture and gazed out across the beautiful lake from atop Stratum Pier.

Our love of history took us back to the 1800s Indiana at Conner Prairie Interactive History Park in Fishers, just north of Indianapolis. There reenactors taught us to throw tomahawks at the Native American camp and to master the blacksmith's forge in Prairietown, a pioneer settlement. We even toured the William Conner Homestead, the first brick home built in Indiana, and learned about the man, himself: fur trader, farmer and frontiersman.

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White River State Park 317.233.2434 inwhiteriver.org

Our favorite experience at Conner Prairie was going up, up, up, 350 feet into the air on the 1859 Balloon Voyage! Looking out across the horizon from the tethered, helium-filled balloon was a special experience.

We decided to make the last night of our little getaway special with a concert at The Palladium in Carmel. This 1,600-seat hall brings in some of the world's best musical and dancing talent. Opened in January 2011, The Palladium boasts breathtaking architecture and world-class acoustics. The building's stately European style was inspired by Venetian architect Andrea Palladio's design of a 1500s Italian villa called La Rotonda.

Dressed in our finest, we excitedly headed in to hear a concert by the St. Petersburg Philharmonic Orchestra, one of the world's premier orchestras. The Philharmonic has entertained in some of the most famous venues across the globe, including Carnegie Hall.

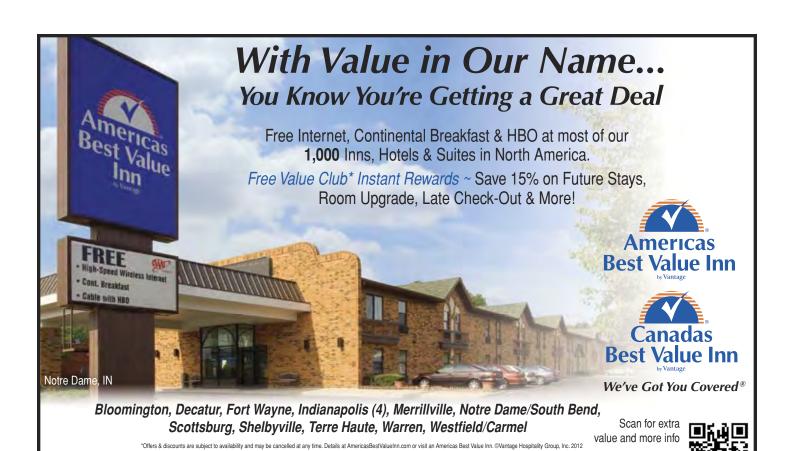
The show featured musical selections by Rachmaninoff and Rimsky-Korsakov, and we were incredibly impressed. The instruments blended perfectly,

1859 Balloon Voyage at Conner Prairie Interactive History Park, Yellow Butterfly at White River State Park and concert at The Palladium

Balloon photo by Warren Lynn; Butterfly photo by Tracey Auld; The Palladium photo by Douglas Adams Photography

creating soul-stirring melodies and harmonies as Cindy and I held hands and listened intently. I think I even saw tears in her eyes as the sweet, sad strains of the violin carried across the hall. We knew we couldn't have had a more magical evening if we had been in New York City.

On the drive home, I thought happily about our anniversary trip, filled with great music, art, history and fun time spent together.



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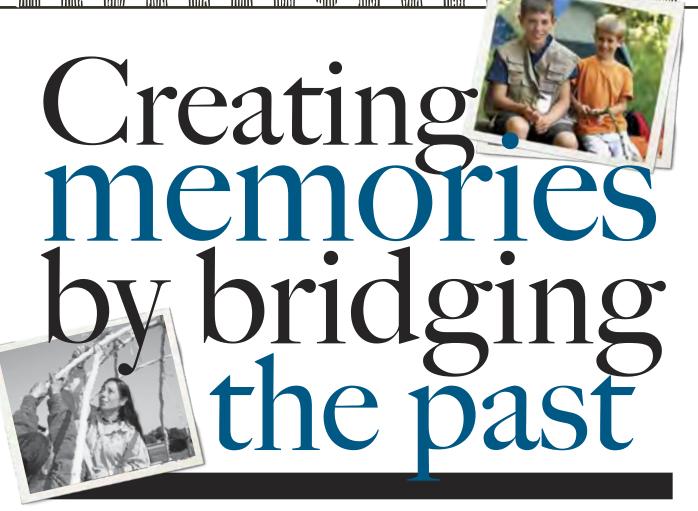


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There is something magical about taking family vacations with young children. As we load up the van, the kids are always peppering us with questions about where we are going and what we will see. My husband Jeff and I, with boys in tow, hit the road to make some great family memories. Our boys, Ryan (8) and Joshua (10), are extremely active and hate being cooped up—something they learned from their parents—so we knew that a great outdoors adventure would be a perfect trip. We traveled to Western Indiana to explore the natural beauty of the rural landscape. By Barbara Cole

The adventure began in Battle Ground at Tippecanoe Battlefield Park where the Wabash Heritage Trail begins. We admired the Battle of Tippecanoe Monument, a National Historic

Landmark, before starting to hike the trail that follows Burnett's Creek and the Wabash River. The path runs 13 miles to the south side of West Lafayette and ends at Fort Ouiatenon.

As we walked, Jeff told the kids about the battle between

The Battle of Tippecanoe Monument is a good history lesson before hitting the Wabash Heritage Trail.

Opposite page: Belgian horses eagerly let you feed them at Historic Prophetstown.

William Henry Harrison and the Native American Confederation that took place in the area. He described how tribes of natives banded together under Tecumseh to fight against the settlers in

hopes of regaining their land. Ryan and Joshua were all ears and even found some sticks to pretend they were fighting on opposite sides of the famous battle. Near the head of the trail, we took the short loop out to Prophet's Rock where the Prophet, Tecumseh's

We took our time, enjoying the beautiful scenery of marshes, water, wildflowers, birds and forests. We even convinced the boys to be quiet and stealthy enough so we could see local wildlife: squirrels, rabbits and graceful deer. As we passed Heron Island, a preserve on the Wabash River, the boys tried to see how many herons were perched in the rookery.

When we reached our rest stop, we settled in at a picnic table for the lunch Jeff had been carrying. After refueling, Joshua and Ryan were ready to see more wildlife and hear more adventure stories on the fiveand-a-half-mile trek back.

That evening we rented a campsite at Prophetstown State Park and spent the night under the stars. Ryan, Jeff's little helper, set up camp and pitched the tent with Jeff while Joshua and I unpacked the van and dinner.

Hot dogs just taste better when cooked over a campfire. Jeff started a couple of campfire songs and we before drifting off to sleep in their tent.

Hiking through the prairie grass on Prophetstown's trails the next day was a blast. We counted to see how many of the park's 92 wildflower species we could spot. We're pretty sure we found 17, although Joshua insisted that he found all 92!

Historic Prophetstown, located on the park grounds, is a working farm with livestock and horsedrawn machinery. We showed up at 3 pm for one of their two daily chore times so the boys could experience farm life. Jeff helped the boys feed the enormous Belgian horses. Joshua took his job of collecting chicken eggs very seriously, and Ryan got to milk a cow. Once the chores were finished, we walked over to the Woodland Indian Settlement nearby to see where the Native American village established by Tecumseh and the Prophet once stood. It was near this town, where the park now lies, that the Prophet staged an early morning



attack on William Henry Harrison's army. When the Native Americans withdrew to Prophetstown, Harrison burned the village to the ground and led his troops to victory.

At the Woodland Indian settlement, we walked through replicas of the town's Council House, Medicine Lodge, Chief's Cabin and Granary, we imagined what life was like for the tribes who once lived and worked here.

After another evening under the stars, we cleaned up camp and drove southwest for an adventure on the Parke County Covered Bridge Trails. With 31 covered bridges, some more than 100 years old, Parke County considers itself "The Covered Bridge Capital of the World." The fresh air was calling, so we stopped at the Parke County Tourist Information Center to get directions to the four bicycle routes around the bridges. We chose the path on the south side of Parke County and drove to the small town of Bridgeton where we unloaded our bikes from the car and pedaled off on part of the 30-mile route.

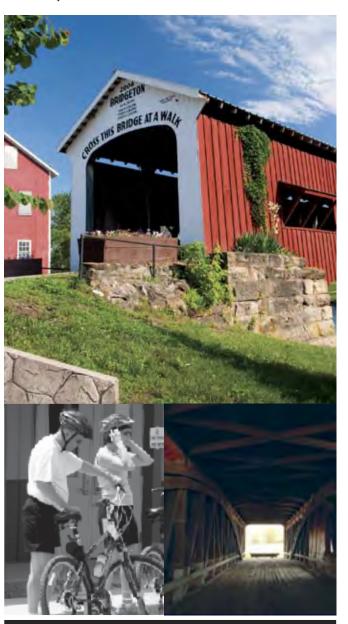
The biking trail winds through six covered bridges, each with its own unique design and personality.

The biking trail winds through six covered bridges, each with its own unique design and personality. From Bridgeton we biked the few miles to the Thorpe Ford Covered Bridge. When we arrived, we hopped off our bikes, walking through and around the huge structure and picturing horse-drawn wagons slowing down to cross the bridge. We learned that the reason these bridges are covered was to protect their support structure from the weather. Biking back to town, we enjoyed the indescribable natural beauty surrounding us. Ryan kept pointing out birds, trees and views he found particularly appealing.

Back in Bridgeton, the route took us to the Bridgeton Covered Bridge, the Bridgeton Grist Mill and the Bridgeton Country Store, where we stopped for some refreshing root beers. We browsed through their antiques, candles, art and foods before choosing some locally made fudge to take back with us. Then we hopped back into the car to explore other bridges along the route.

After our fun day of covered bridge exploration, we decided we needed to return in October for the famous Covered Bridge Festival that celebrates these unique landmarks. Craft booths and historical sites are just a few of the reasons we plan to return!

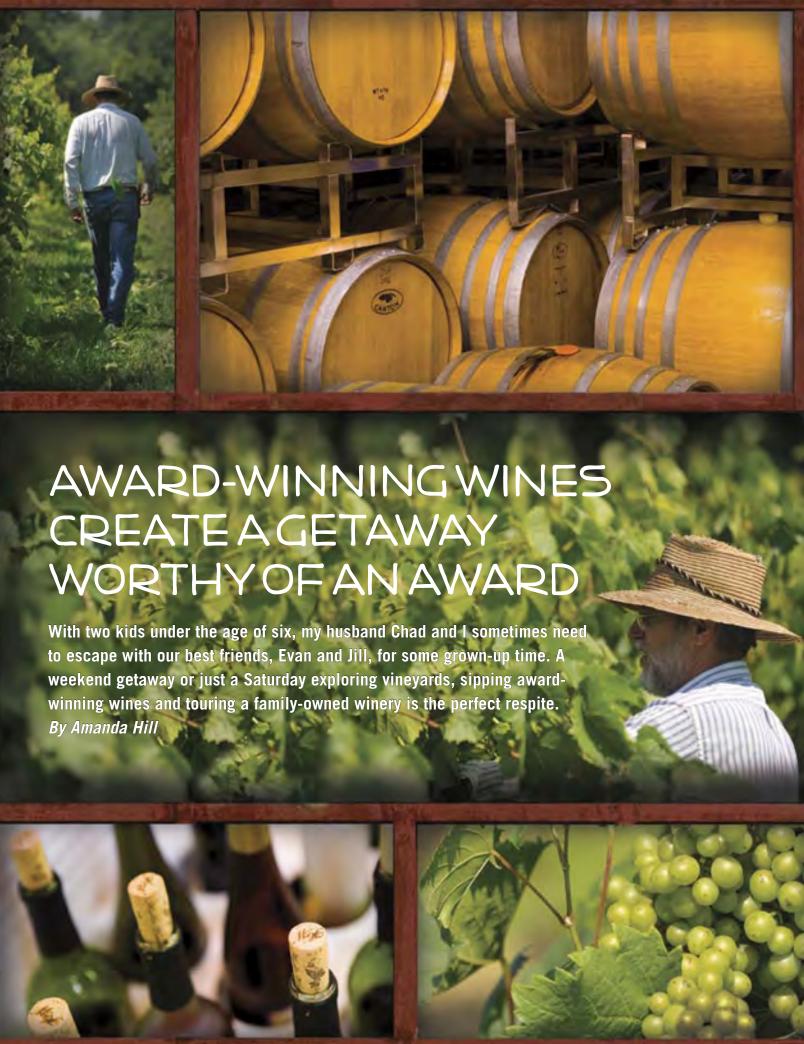
The boys were so tired on the drive home, but when asked how he enjoyed the trip, Ryan exclaimed, "This was the best time of my entire life!" Jeff and I declared our family vacation a success!



Touring Parke County's covered bridges by bike is a great way to see them up close and to hear the click-clack of the wooden floors. Opposite page: Prophetstown State Park wetlands.

Top covered bridge photo by Betty Edmonds; bottom covered bridge and bikers photo by Janean DePlante

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The owners of Butler Winery, one stop along the Indiana Uplands Wine Trail, treat you to a pleasant stroll through the vineyards as well as tastes of their delicious wines.

Amazing artisan wineries filled with refreshing varieties and charming vineyards that produce native grapes can be found throughout South Central Indiana. No need to visit Napa Valley or Bordeaux, France, to taste world-class wines—instead, we stayed closer to home and made our way along the Indiana Uplands Wine Trail. The Indiana Uplands are a region of Indiana signified by rolling hills and unique sediment and geology where a plateau once rose above the area's glaciers. The Uplands span from just north of Bloomington down to the Ohio River between Jasper and Henryville. It's here in the Uplands that the trail's nine wineries offer unique flavors and inspiring encounters with art and nature. When we set out on our first Saturday excursion, we found that the drive alone to one of the wineries in this region is a spectacular treat.

Our trip to Butler Winery, just northeast of Bloomington, was a delight. Butler's approach is to put the flavors of Indiana into all their wines, which is why they use only Indiana grapes. We strolled through the serene vineyard, which was amazingly lush and green, admiring the area's distinct beauty.

At our complimentary tasting we sampled several wines including their 2008 Chambourcin Rosé, designated Rose Wine of the Year and Indiana-grown French-American Wine of the Year at the 2009 Indy International Wine Competition. The local flavor was delicious!

Picking out a bottle of the Chambourcin Rosé and a cheese tray to complement our packed picnic lunch, we enjoyed eating in the beauty of the vineyard. Then we toured the wine cellar and production area, learning about how Butler ensures that their wines are of the highest quality.

Discovering local music is a passion of ours, so we drove to nearby Oliver Winery for one of their Tunes on the Terrace events. For \$20 each, we sat on the lower patio and listened to a local pianist play fun, rock 'n' roll-inspired tunes. We savored a wine tasting and each ordered a glass of our favorite variety, which was included in the ticket price. Chad chose their semidry Creekbend Traminette while I preferred the semisweet Harvest Flavors Mango with its exotic flavor. For dinner we purchased hearty pulled pork barbecue and cornbread salad provided by Bloomington's own Smokin' Jack's Rib Shack. Relaxing on the patio listening to live music, sipping our favorite Indianamade wines and chatting with friends made this the most peaceful and perfect evening I had experienced in a while. It was great to forget about the busyness of everyday life and enjoy the moment.

A wine steward at Oliver told us that the Uplands Trail wineries hold special events throughout the year. One such event is their March Gladness progressive dinner. It features a wine-paired course at each of the trail's nine wineries along with tastings and behind-thescenes tours for \$30 per person. Our mouths started watering just thinking about it! Jill and I will definitely check the wine trail calendar for future great events like this as we make plans to visit the other seven wineries on the trail.





Relaxed. That's how you'll feel at stops along the wine trails with views of the Ohio River, quaint patio seating at Stream Cliff Farm (right), shopping at Oliver Winery and visiting with the Butlers at Butler Winery (below).

OPPOSITE PAGE:

Tasting at Madison Vineyards Estate Winery.







On another getaway with Evan and Jill, we decided to make it a weekend getaway on Southeast Indiana's Indiana Wine Trail. This trail offers six wonderfully unique wineries nestled in a portion of Indiana's Ohio River Valley Region. The area is known as the birthplace of the American wine industry, as the first successful American winery was established during the early 1800s. Today, many of the wines from this area are national and international award-winning wines.

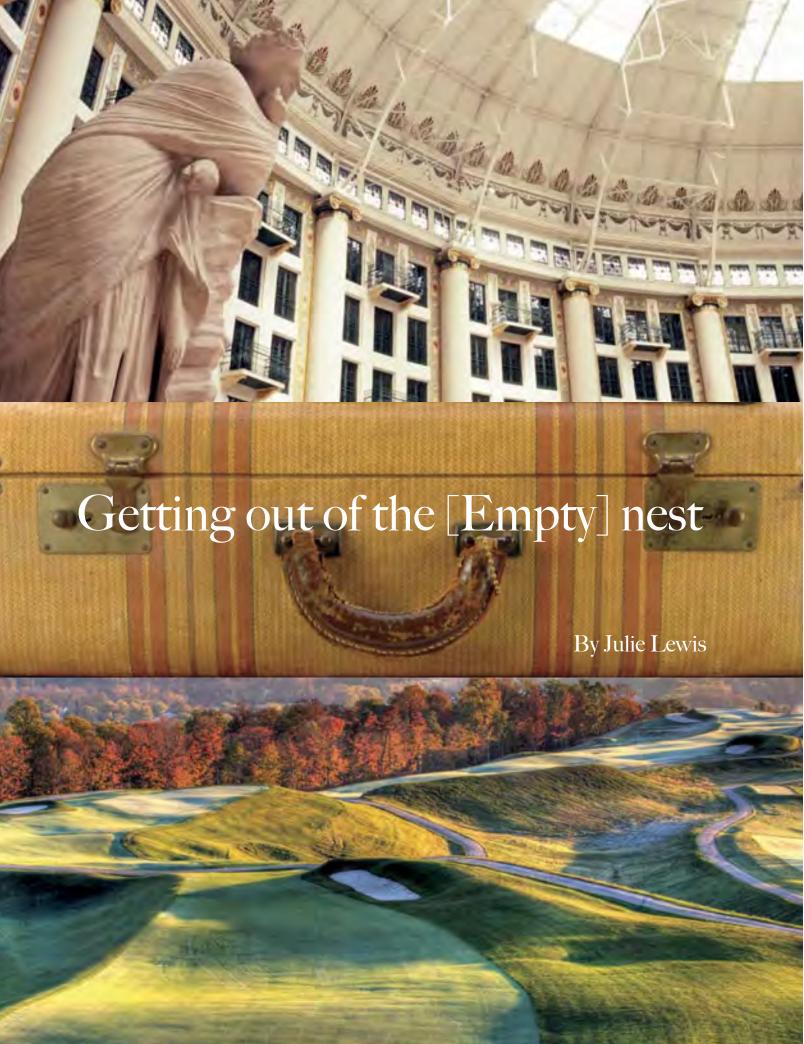
Our getaway began in Madison at the Madison Vineyards Estate Winery where we booked their Wine Lovers Trail Package offering a two-night stay in the winery's comfortable bed and breakfast. The package also included a tasting of international wines with complimentary appetizers in the private cellar, a winery tour and tasting with the winemaker and a delicious hot breakfast. We had a great time sipping, munching, relaxing and asking the winemaker questions. Evan made it his personal mission to try to stump the winemaker with his questions; of course, he did not succeed!

At Lanthier Winery, also in Madison, we enjoyed an amazing cultural experience beyond the wonderful wines. The 18th century stone building is a true piece of history, where early settlers lived and traded. On a beautiful May afternoon we sipped Rivertown Red in The Loft Gallery while admiring the Annual Spring Artist Showcase that displayed landscape, floral and black and white masterpieces by a brilliant Indiana photographer. Bursts of color, warm sunshine and friendly butterflies greeted us as we strolled through the French country gardens. The Rivertown Red's intriguing hints of oak were enhanced by the beautiful scenery around us.

Stream Cliff Farm Winery in Commiskey, just northwest of Madison, names its wines after horses because the winery is housed in the historic farm's blacksmith shop. Choices like Bareback, Spotted Horse and Thunder Hoof delighted our taste buds. While sampling their unique varieties, a staff member told us the fascinating history of the 100-year-old family farm that was raided during the Civil War. We ordered a charming lunch from the seasonal menu at their Twigs and Sprigs Tearoom, and Jill raved over the incredible herbs that come straight from their garden!

Chad and I have loved exploring these two wine trails with two of our favorite people. It's not just the magnificent Indiana wines that we enjoy—it's the history, art, culture and fascinating people we found along the way that make the experiences truly special. We've made a great start and now plan to visit all the establishments along the Indiana Wine Trail and the Indiana Uplands Wine Trail!





About a year ago our daughter was visiting for the weekend, and you know what she said? "Mom, you and Dad need to travel more." Well, that's all it took. We've been traveling as often as we can, and these two trips in Southern Indiana are a couple of our favorites.

A Welcoming History for a Most Pleasant Present—French Lick Resort

I was so relaxed I could barely get the words "thank you" out of my throat and across my lips. But that's definitely what I wanted to say to the aesthetician who had just given me the most complete, rejuvenating and—yes—relaxing facial I have ever received anywhere. A weekend away with Sue and Paul was definitely in order, and the French Lick Resort, tucked away in the rolling hills of Southern Indiana, was the perfect destination.

My best gal pal and I were pampering ourselves in the Spa at French Lick while our husbands did their own thing on one of the resort golf courses. But more about golf later. First, I need to tell you that before the absolutely amazing facial, I did what you just have to do when you're at French Lick—take a bath in the famous Pluto mineral spring waters. People have come from far and wide for over two centuries to bathe in the Pluto water, so why wouldn't I? The healing mineral waters really did alleviate some of the stress I had when I entered the claw-foot tub, and my skin felt as nourished as they said it would.

French Lick Hotel is truly breathtaking. With close to 700 rooms, its massive size is outshone by the magnificent architecture, Italian mosaic floors and gorgeous grounds. While we explored we were sure to stop at the famed gazebo that houses the Pluto mineral spring. We imagined turn-of-thecentury travelers indulging in the healing waters.

We also shopped the many shops and boutiques inside the hotel.

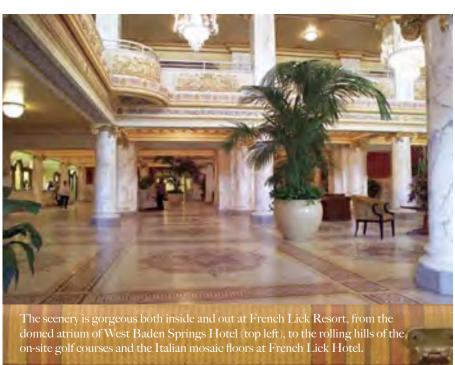
While we were puttering around the hotel, Paul and my husband, Frank, spent the day at the resort's Sports & Exhibits Complex. They practiced putting on the indoor green, worked on their swings at the driving range and got a few pointers from the resident golf

experts. They had trouble coming up with words to describe the 18-hole Pete Dye Course they played—one of three courses on the property. Frank talked about the rolling hills, narrow fairways and panoramic views that made it so unique. Now he and Paul are ready to take on the other six courses designed by that masterful course architect, Pete Dye, along the Indiana Pete Dye Golf Trail.

This resort is hopping 24 hours a day with an onsite casino. Even though it's a new addition, they did a great job matching the Neoclassical style of the resort's historic lobby. Sue and I sat at the slot machines while the guys took a shot at the electronic Texas Hold 'Empoker tables.

The sister hotel to French Lick at the resort is West Baden Springs Hotel. We visited this truly unique hotel when we took a historic tour. Your jaw drops as your gaze goes straight up and you just cannot help spinning around when you enter the domed atrium. It's amazing! And no surprise someone dubbed this century-old National Historical Landmark the "Eighth Wonder of the World." Six floors of rooms ring the atrium, all with a panoramic view. After exploring the interior of West Baden, we decided to take a tour of the rolling hills around the hotel on horseback!

We discovered something else while at the French Lick Resort: being totally relaxed really increases your appetite! And with 15 dining options on-site, we were certainly able to curb our appetites! The porterhouse steaks at 1875: The Steakhouse were so tender, but I have to say the bananas foster that Sue and I shared was my favorite course. At Sinclair's Restaurant at West Baden we made reservations for the chef's table with a view of the kitchen. Again, I must mention dessert. The West Baden Signature Chocolate Dome





You can't help relaxing at The Leavenworth Inn, perched above the picturesque Ohio River. The West Baden Garden offers picture-perfect settings of its own. Opposite: French Lick is the southernmost stop on the seven-course Pete Dye Golf Trail.

—fittingly named—was a crazy-good concoction of chocolate mousse and cake in a ganache shell. Truly, everything about this trip was sweet.

A Little Dose Of Utopia

Did I mention I enjoy relaxing when I take a getaway? That's just what Frank and I did in New Harmony, and we learned a little, too. This quaint little town's utopian legacy began about 200 years ago when the Harmonie Society settled on the Wabash River. The society practiced communal living to inspire renewal and fellowship. Later on, the area became a haven for more secular educational and cultural pursuits. We learned about these two groups when we took a guided tour that started in the ultra-modern Atheneum/Visitors Center, designed by the world-famous architect Richard Meier.

Frank and I had never meandered through a labyrinth before. I convinced him to give it a try, and we started with the Cathedral Labyrinth, a replica of one at Chartres Cathedral in France. We quietly followed the winding path to the center and back out again, and I must admit that as I focused on the wandering my stress melted away. The walk was so rejuvenating that we then visited the Harmonist Labyrinth, a living path of hedges.

No trip to New Harmony is complete without dinner at the award-winning Red Geranium. We ate in the Tillich Room, the most romantic and ornate of three dining rooms. A lakeview table was the perfect setting for a delicious meal of sea scallops and char-grilled rack of lamb. This meal set the stage for a night at the New Harmony Theatre, a professional venue open during the summer. The lakeview theme continued as our stunning room at the New Harmony Inn looked out over the water.

We continued our little quest to learn the interesting history of Southern Indiana about 90 minutes east in the tiny town of Leavenworth. About 300 people live in Leavenworth, situated high

above Horseshoe Bend, the tightest bend on the Ohio River. While it was first settled in the late 1800s on lower ground, the entire town moved to the top of the bluff in 1930 after it was lost to a flood. We stayed in The Leavenworth Inn, a charming collection of 16 rooms in four separate guesthouses. Ours was the Secretariat Suite in the Carriage House, complete with private deck and picture-window view of the surrounding hills. We rented bikes to explore the hills, played tennis and rewarded ourselves with warm, fresh-baked cookies.

I was glad we didn't eat too many cookies, because I would not have wanted to spoil my appetite before dining at the Overlook Restaurant. As its name implies, this popular restaurant overlooks the river, providing a 20-mile panoramic view! It was fun to watch the barges on the river before the sun went down in a most dazzling way. After a delicious meal of their famous "country cookin'," we checked out the 30 varieties of beer they feature in the downstairs bar-Walter's Pub.

Lately, Frank has also become quite a wine connoisseur, so we headed to Huber's Orchard, Winery & Vineyards in Starlight on our way north toward home. The Hubers continue their German ancestors' traditions as they run the family winery, which opened in 1843, growing 18 varieties of grapes. The tour included a behind-the-scenes look at the wine production and tastes of their many wines like Blueberry Port, Cabernet Franc and Traminette.

At the winery's Starlight Café, we enjoyed a light lunch and live music on the patio overlooking the 550-acre farm. We took home a little bit of everything from their bakery, cheese shop and farm market so we could enjoy locally grown fruits and vegetables and excellent cheeses when we uncorked our next bottle of Huber wine.

As we headed home, we decided we agreed with the early settlers of New Harmony—Indiana offers a little utopia for everyone.

For More Information

French Lick Resort 888.936.9360 frenchlick.com

Historic New Harmony 800.231.2168 newharmony.org

Huber's Orchard, Winery & Vineyards 800.345.9463 huberwinery.com Leavenworth - Crawford County Welcome Center 888.755.2282 crawfordcountyindiana.com

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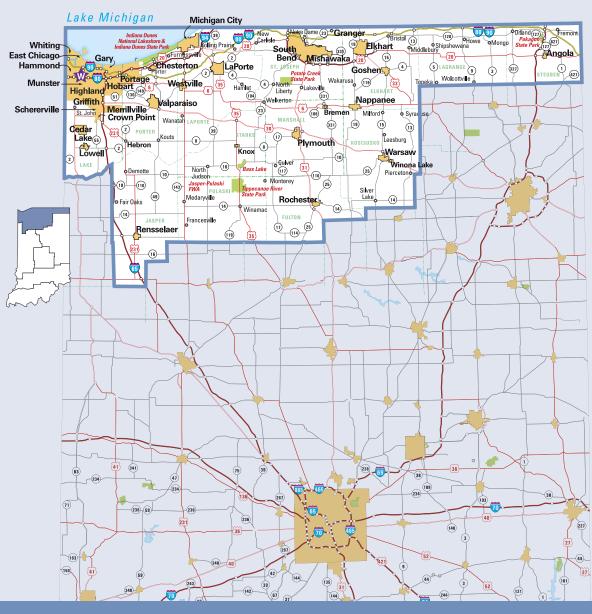
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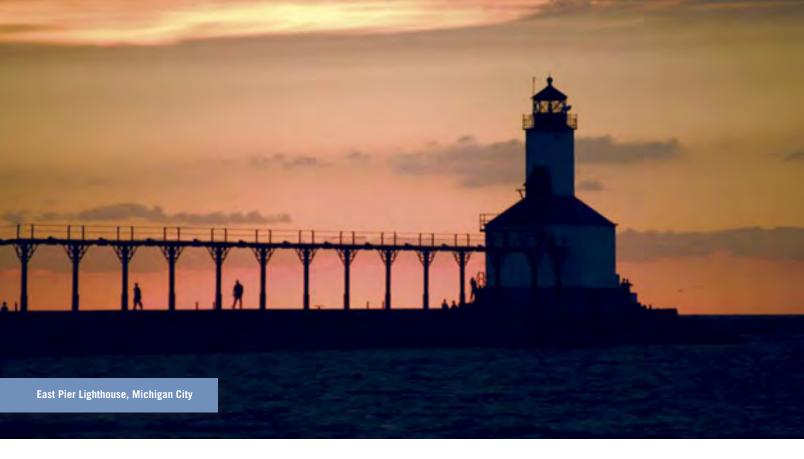






Amish Country; LaSalle Grill, South Bend; Washington Park Zoo, Michigan City Amish Country Photo courtesy of Amish Country/Elkhart County Convention & Visitors Bureau





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Dining at its finest

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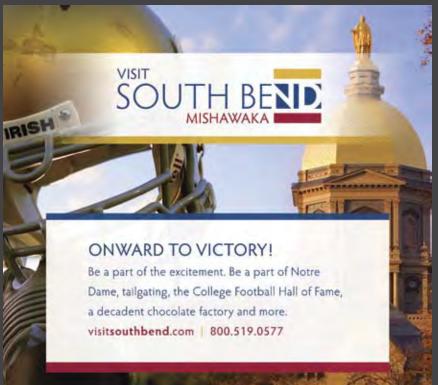


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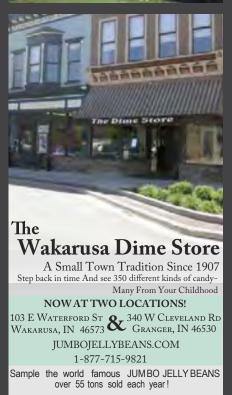
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Attractions

Kerchers Sunrise Orchard

19498 County Road 38 Locally grown fruits and vegetables, U-pick apples and pumpkins, cider, baked goods, gift baskets, Fall Harvest Festival, free hayrides, school tours. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 574.533.6311. kerchersorchard.com &

LEGEND

- Association of Indiana Museums
- Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association
- Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association
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Festivals

Elkhart County 4-H Fair ★
Jul. 20-28, 2012; Jul. 19-27, 2013
Elkhart County Fairgrounds,
17746-D County Road 34
One of the larget fairs in the nation. 4-H exhibits and free top name entertainment. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 574.533.3247. 4HFair.org ₺ **★**

Shopping

Goertzen Pottery at the Old Bag Factory 1100 N Chicago Ave.

Internationally known potters producing kitchenware and exhibition-quality pieces on-site. Big showroom and gallery. Gifts of meaning and utility. Mon.-Sat. 9am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 574.534.1162. goertzenpottery.com &

HAMMOND

Information

Indiana Welcome Center 7770 Corinne Dr.

Travel counselors available to assist with tourist information. Center houses John Dillinger Museum, exhibit hall, gift shop, theater, clean restrooms. Hours vary. 219.989.7979. southshorecva.com &

South Shore **Convention & Visitors Authority**

7770 Corinne Dr. The South Shore is minutes from Chicago! Lakefront casinos, theaters, candy factory, dairy farm tour, historic

downtowns, unique attractions. Hours vary. 219.989.7979. southshorecva.com &

■ HOWE 熱

Information

Amish Backroads Shipshewana/

LaGrange County Visitors Center Call or visit the LaGrange County Visitor Center in Shipshewana on SR 5 for maps and visitor guides or barn quilt maps. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat. 9am-4pm. 800.254.8090. VisitLaGrangeCounty.org &

Lodging Holiday Inn Express-Howe 45 W 750 N

Ideal for the business, leisure and family travelers who are looking for an upgraded hotel that is economical. 260.562.3660. HIEHowe.com

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LAPORTE

Information

LaPorte County Convention and Visitors Bureau

4073 S Franklin St. (Marquette Mall) Your source to find great activities including festivals, outlet shopping, gaming, orchards, fishing, antiquing, outdoor family fun and more! Hours vary. 800.634.2650. MichiganCityLaPorte.com &

Lodging

Blue Heron Inn 🗷 1110 Lakeside

Nestled on the east shore of Pine Lake. The Blue Heron's rooms and five boathouses offer unique lodging. 800.575.3880. pleastshore.com & ...

Holiday Inn Express-LaPorte 🖭 100 E Shore Ct.

Ideal hotel for the business, leisure and family travelers who are looking for an upgraded hotel that offers value. 219.326.7900. hielaporte.com

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Festivals

Heart of Art Gallery Tour

Oct. 20-21, 2012; Oct. 19-20, 2013 Heart of Art is a free tour to celebrate artists, studios and galleries of LaPorte County. Hours vary. 800.634.2650. heart-of-art.com &

Restaurants

T-Bone's Pier 11

1111 Lakeside St. Located next to the Blue Heron Inn. Enjoy lakeside dining, great steaks and seafood prepared on wild cherry woodburning grill. Mon.-Sun. 3:30pm-9pm. 800.875.3880. pleastshore.com &

MERRILLVILLE

Information

South Shore Convention & **Visitors Authority**

7770 Corinne Dr. The South Shore is minutes from Chicago! Lakefront casinos, theaters, candy factory, dairy farm tour, historic downtowns, unique attractions. Hours vary. 219.989.7979. southshorecva.com &

Attractions

Albanese Candy Factory

5441 E Lincoln Hwy. Factory outlet store. Manufacturers of the world's best gummies and gold label chocolates. Over 1,000 candies, sugar candies, nostalgic candy and gifts. Mon.-Sat. 9am-8pm; Sun. 10am-6pm. 219.947.3070.

albaneseconfectionery.com &

Deep River Waterpark

9001 E Lincoln Hwy. Indiana's premier water park. The perfect family escape! Wave pool, body slides, tube slides, river ride, play zone and much more! Adm. chg. May-Sep. Hours vary. 219.947.7850. DeepRiverWaterpark.com ₺ 🖨

■ MICHIGAN CITY 秋

Information

LaPorte County Convention and Visitors Bureau

4073 S Franklin St. (Marquette Mall) Your source to find great activities, including festivals, outlet shopping, gaming, orchards, fishing, antiquing, outdoor family fun and more! Hours vary. 800.634.2650. MichiganCityLaPorte.com & 🖨

Attractions

Blue Chip Casino, Hotel & Spa

777 Blue Chip Dr.

Thrilling casino action. Slots, tables, live poker. Two hotels, luxurious spa, endless dining options, meeting space. Open 24/7, 365 days. 888.879.7711. BlueChipCasino.com &

Lubeznik Center for the Arts

101 W 2nd St.

Steps from the lakefront, featuring art galleries, a sculpture garden, a gallery shop offering artisan items plus classes and after-hours events. Tue.-Fri. 10am-5pm; Sat.-Sun. 11am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 219.874.4900. lubeznikcenter.org & 🖨

Lodging

Blue Chip Casino, Hotel & Spa 🖭

777 Blue Chip Dr.

Relax in one of two hotel towers. Enjoy pampering in a luxurious spa. Exciting casino action. Endless dining options. 888.879.7711.

BlueChipCasino.com &

Shopping

Lighthouse Place Premium Outlets

601 Wabash St.

Shop our outlets in Michigan City and discover 120 designer and name brand outlets featuring savings of 25% to 65% every day. Hours vary, 219.879.6506. premiumoutlets.com/lighthouseplace &

■ MIDDLEBURY

For Camping see page 41

Information

Amish Backroads Shipshewana/ LaGrange County Visitors Center

Call or visit the LaGrange County Visitor Center in Shipshewana on SR 5 for maps and visitor guides or barn quilt maps. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat. 9am-4pm. 800.254.8090. VisitShipshewana.org &

Attractions

Das Dutchman Essenhaus 11

240 US 20

A pleasant surprise in the country! Discover our unique Amish-style restaurant, bountiful bakery, boutique shops, charming inn and outdoor activities. Mon.-Thu. 6am-8pm; Fri.-Sat. 6am-9pm. 800.455.9471. Essenhaus.com & 🖨

Lodging

Country Victorian Bed & Breakfast 🗷 435 S Main St.

Rest, relax and refresh where comfort, value and friends come together. Five charming guest rooms with private baths, fireplaces, Wi-Fi. 574.825.2568. countryvictorian.com

Essenhaus Inn and Conference Center

240 US 20

Charming, spacious and inviting with all the amenities guests appreciate. Nestled in a comfortable home-like atmosphere in the heart of Amish Country. 800.455.9471 Essenhaus.com & 🐼 Wi-Fi 🖨

That Pretty Place Bed and Breakfast 🗷 212 US 20

Come enjoy our 37-acre beautiful retreat-like setting. Turn onto our wooded drive and you'll know you've found a relaxing place. 800.418.9487. that prettyplace.com &

Restaurants

Das Dutchman Essenhaus 11

240 US 20 With 1,100 seats, our Amish-style restaurant specializes in hospitality and quality. Crisp broasted chicken, 30 types of pie and everything in between! Mon.-Thu. 6am-8pm; Fri.-Sat. 6am-9pm. 800.455.9471. Essenhaus.com & 🖨

Shopping Essenhaus Village Shops

240 US 20

Six specialty gift shops are filled with quilts, handbags, kitchen gadgets, books, jewelry, furniture, wall art, apparel, home decor and much more! Hours vary. 800.455.9471.

Essenhaus.com & 🖨

The Quilt Shop at Essenhaus

We're full to the rafters with Amish and locally designed quilts. Fabrics, crafts, Quilt Magic and custom quilts. Mon.-Sat. 9am-8pm. Closed major holidays. 574.455.9471. Essenhaus.com &

MISHAWAKA

Information

South Bend/Mishawaka Convention and Visitors Bureau

401 E Colfax, Ste. 310 Notre Dame, Studebaker Museum, breathtaking River Walk, Japanese Gardens, second largest shopping district in Indiana. Hours vary. 800.519.0577. VisitSouthBend.com &

Lodging

Country Inn & Suites-Mishawaka 🖦

120 W University Dr.

Ideal hotel for the business, leisure and family traveler who is looking for an upgraded hotel that is economical. 574.271.1700.

countryinns.com/mishawakain

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Holiday Inn Express-Mishawaka 🕮

420 W University Dr.

Ideal hotel for the business, leisure and family travelers who are looking for an upgraded hotel that is economical. 574.277.2520. hiemishawaka.com

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Shopping

University Park Mall 8501 N Grape Rd.

Experience amazing shopping and entertainment with national retailers like Macy's, Bar Louie, Apple, Coach, Barnes and Noble, Teavana, Loft and more. Mon.-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sun. Noon-6pm. 574.277.2223.

shopuniversityparkmall.com & 🖨

■ NAPPANEE 統

Attractions

Amish Acres Historic Farm and **Heritage Resort**

1600 Market St. The complete Amish heritage experience. National Register of Historic Places, farmstead tours, wagon rides, threshers dinner, Broadway musicals, shops. Mar.-Dec. Hours vary. 800.800.4942. AmishAcres.com & 🖨

Festivals

Nappanee Apple Festival Sep. 13-16, 2012; Sep. 19-22, 2013 US 6 and SR 19 Embrace the pace in downtown Nappanee. Enjoy apple foods, over 150 craft vendors, 30 food booths,

carnival rides, two free entertainment stages. Hours vary. 574.773.7812. NappaneeAppleFestival.org &

Shopping

Weaver Furniture Barn 6146 W 1350 N

Handcrafted solid oak and cherry furniture, upholstery and more. Mon.-Fri. 9am-6pm; Sat. 9am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 574.773.4826. &

NORTH JUDSON

Attractions

Hoosier Valley Railroad Museum 507 Mulberry St.

Ten- and 20-mile round-trip themed train rides for a fee, May-Oct., special events. Guest engineer program. Static displays, operating signals. Hours vary. 574.896.3950. hoosiervalley.org & 🖨

■ NORTH LIBERTY 統

For Camping see page 41

Lodging Family Cabins at Potato Creek State Park

25601 SR 4

Housekeeping cabins sleep eight. Great for family gatherings. Hiking, swimming, boating, fishing, nature center. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. 574.656.8186. stateparks.IN.gov

Recreation

Potato Creek State Park

25601 SR 4

Swimming, fishing and boating on lake. Staffed nature center, hiking, bicycling, bridle trails (BYOH), cross-country skiing and tubing hill. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 574.656.8186. stateparks.IN.gov ₺ 🖨

NOTRE DAME

Attractions

Notre Dame Walking Tour

University of Notre Dame Stop at Eck Visitors Center for a student-guided walking tour. View a 20-minute video on the tradition and mystique of Notre Dame. Hours vary. 574.631.5726. visitsouthbend.com &

PIERCETON

Recreation

Midwest Woodlots, LLC

9179 E Old Rd. 30 Relax and enjoy the outdoors. See white-tailed deer, buffalo, elk, red deer, fallow deer, rams, more. Hay rides, 189 feed deer, May-Aug. Hours vary. 574.265.6996.

KenMcIntoshOutdoors.com &

■ PLYMOUTH 統

Information

Marshall County Tourism

220 N Center St. Take "Time to Unwind" while enjoying our lakes, golf courses and quaint towns. Visit us, you'll enjoy our hospitality! Mon.-Sat. 8am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 800.626.5353. MarshallCountyTourism.org &

Attractions

Marshall County Barn Quilt Trails of Northern Indiana

220 N Center St. Enjoy the culture and history of rural Indiana by driving Indiana's First Barn Quilt Trail. Quilt-block murals adorn barns throughout the county. Hours vary. 800.626.5353.

MarshallCountyTourism.org &

Festivals

Marshall County Blueberry Festival 🖈

Aug. 31-Sep. 3, 2012; Aug. 30-Sep. 2, 2013 Centennial Park Luscious blueberry treats, 15k run, crafts, parade, fireworks, free entertainment, classic car show, hot air balloons, carnival and family activities. Hours vary. 888.936.5020. blueberryfestival.org & 🖨

■ PORTAGE

Lodging

Holiday Inn Express-Portage 2323 Willowcreek Rd.

Ideal for the business, leisure and family travelers who are looking for an upgraded hotel that is economical. 219.762.7777.

hieportage.com & # 🔊 🖨

■ PORTER

Information

Indiana Dunes Visitor Center

1215 N SR 49

Start with an educational film, exhibit and bookstore or expand your adventure with knowledgeable staff and 24-hour information vestibule. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.283.8687. IndianaDunes.com & 🖨

Lodging Springhouse Inn

303 N Mineral Springs Rd.
Charming country inn in the heart of the dunes. Oversized country rooms include breakfast. 219.929.4660. SpringhouseInn.com &

Recreation

Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore

1100 N Mineral Springs Rd. This National Park Service site features miles of beach, dunes and trails. A historic homestead and farm are also preserved. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 219.926.7561. nps.gov/indu 🕹 🖨

■ ROCHESTER 統

Information

Fulton County Tourism Commission

822 Main St.

Round Barn Festival, historical museum, chili cook-off, Trail of Courage, 18-hole golf course, walking and biking paths. Tippecanoe River. Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm. 574.224.2666. RochesterTourism.org &

SHIPSHEWANA

Information

Amish Backroads Shipshewana/ LaGrange County Visitors Center SR 5

Call or visit the LaGrange County Visitor Center in Shipshewana for maps and visitor guides or barn quilt maps. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat. 9am-4pm. 800.254.8090.

VisitShipshewana.org ₺ 🖨

Shipshewana Retail **Merchants Association**

Stay for several days! Over 100 shops in Amish Country. Shopping, lodging, dining, flea market, auctions, theater, festivals, carriage rides. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 260.768.7589. shipshewana.com & 🖨

Attractions

Hostetler's Hudson Auto Museum

760 S Van Buren St.

Houses the world's largest collection of Hudson products. Visitors center and convention and expo center. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 9am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 260.768.3021. HostetlersHudsons.com ₺ 🖨

LaGrange County Barn Quilt Trail of Northern Indiana

Enjoy the culture and history of northern Indiana. Quilt blocks adorn barns and public spaces. Self-guided tour. 800.254.8090.

VisitLaGrangeCounty.org &

Menno-Hof

510 S Van Buren/SR 5 S Tells the story of Amish, Mennonite and Hutterite history, lifestyle and beliefs with multi-media presentations and 24 display areas. Open all year. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 260.768.4117. mennohof.org & 🖨

Lodging

Amish Country Inn/Splash Universe

800 S Van Buren St. Enjoy spacious rooms themed to celebrate the Amish lifestyle. Watch buggies from your front porch. Attached to Splash Universe Indoor Water Park. 260.768.7688.

AmishCountryInn.net & Wi-Fi 🖨

Der Ruhe Blatz Motel

1195 S Van Buren St. Built by 16 Amish families. Close to Shipshewana Flea Market, restaurants, craft and gift shops. In-room hairdryer, fridge, iron/ironing board, Wi-Fi. 260.768.7750. DerRuheBlatzMotel.com ₺ ★

Farmstead Inn

370 S Van Buren St. Comfort and hospitality await you right across from Shipshewana Flea Market and Auction. 154 rooms and suites. Recreation building attached. 260.768.4595.

FarmsteadInn.com & # 🔊

Super 8 Shipshewana

740 S Van Buren St. Welcome to a shoppers' paradise. Close to flea market, unique downtown shops, water park, Blue Gate dinner and theater packages. 260.768.4004. Super8Shipshewana.com ₺ #

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Festivals

MDC Goldenrod Benefit Auction

Aug. 24-25, 2012; Aug. 23-24, 2013 Shipshewana Auction Barn Food, auction, bake sale, silent auction, chicken BBQ, Amish Haystack meal, quilts. Amish handcrafted items. Check website. Hours vary. 574.533.9720. GoldenrodOnline.org ₺

Shopping

Brandenberry Amish Furniture 1045 N SR 5

Handcrafted Amish furniture built to your specifications. Visit our new showroom and see the latest Amish furniture lines for your home. Mon.-Sat. 9am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 260.768.3270. BrandenberryAmishFurniture.com &

Shipshewana Flea Market and Auction

345 Van Buren St. Find it all at Shipshewana's Trading Place! Midwest's largest outdoor flea market, open May-Oct. Year-round weekly antique and livestock auction. Hours vary, 260,768,4129. ShipshewanaAuction.com &

Yoder's Meat and Cheese Company

435 S Van Buren St. We offer hormone-free, steroid-free and chemical-free meats. Beef, pork, lamb, poultry and buffalo. Over 100 varieties of cheese. Mon.-Fri. 8am-5:30pm, Sat. 8am-5pm, 260,768,4715. YodersMeatandCheese.com & 🖨

■ SOUTH BEND 秋

Information

South Bend/Mishawaka Convention and Visitors Bureau

401 E Colfax, Ste. 310 Notre Dame, Studebaker Museum, Oliver Mansion, East Race Waterway, Potato Creek State Park, performing arts. Hours vary. 800.519.0577. VisitSouthBend.com & 🖨

Attractions

Center for History

808 W Washington Tour the 38-room Oliver Mansion. Learn about the All-American Girls Professional Baseball League. See exhibits, Kidsfirst Children's Museum and more! Adm. chg. Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. 574.235.9664. centerforhistory.org & 🖨

College Football Hall of Fame fine 111 S St. Joseph St. Experience the history and heroes of college football through interactive exhibits at the country's most exciting sports hall of fame. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.440.FAME. collegefootball.org & 🖨

South Bend Chocolate Company

3300 W Sample St.

Tour the factory and museum, see one of the world's largest chocolate collections and taste chocolate you'll never forget. Mon.-Fri. 7am-6pm; Sat. 8am-4pm. 574.233.2577. SBChocolate.com &

Studebaker National Museum

201 S Chapin St. Gain insights into the area's industrial history. View wagons, presidential factory. View wagons, presidential carriages, military vehicles and cars famous for their style. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. Closed major holidays. 574.235.9714.

studebakermuseum.org & 🖨

Comfort Suites-South Bend

52939 US 933 N Minutes away from the University of Notre Dame, Saint Mary's College and Century Center. 574.272.1500. choicehotels.com/hotel/in013

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Lodging

Restaurants

Tippecanoe Place Restaurant

620 W Washington Enjoy the finest in traditional American cuisine, dining in the lush surroundings of the Studebaker Family Mansion. Hours vary. 574.234.9077. tippe.com &

■ ST. JOHN

Attractions

The Shrine of Christ's Passion

10630 Wicker Ave. (US 41) An interactive, half-mile, winding pathway that begins with the Last Supper and Garden of Gethsemane. Forty life-size bronze sculptures. No Adm. Mon.-Sun. 10am-5pm. 219.365.6010. shrineofchristspassion.org &

■ TOPEKA

Attractions

Lambright Woodworking 7785 W 300 S Art and Earth Trail destination. Workshop viewing area. "From Forest to Fine Art" educational experience. Resourceful artisan's area. Retail shop. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm; Sat. 9am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 260.593.2997.

■ VALPARAISO 統

Attractions

Brauer Museum of Art/Valparaiso

University Center of the Arts 🏛 1709 Chapel Dr.

The museum's collection consists of over 3,000 works of American art and international religious art. The museum hosts a schedule of exhibits and events. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 219.464.5365.

valpo.edu/artmuseum/ & 🖨

■ WAKARUSA 統

Attractions

Wakarusa Dime Store

103 E Waterford St. Remember the good old days. Store has 350 kinds of candy including the world's largest jelly beans. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5:30pm; Sat. 9am-4pm; Sun. 11am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 574.862.4690. jumbojellybeans.com &

Festivals

Wakarusa Maple Syrup Festival * Apr. 20-21, 2012; Apr. 19-20, 2013 Downtown

All-you-can-eat pancakes and sausage with fresh maple syrup, free kettlepopped popcorn, entertainment, parade and contests. Crafts, food, antiques. Hours vary. 574.862.4344. WakarusaMapleSyrupFestival.com &

Shopping

Wakarusa Amish Country

Downtown Wakarusa Quintessential small town America with friendly, family-owned stores and restaurants, annual Maple Syrup Festival, Pumpkin Tree and Quilt Garden. Hours vary. 574.862.4344. WakarusaChamber.com &

■ WANATAH

Festivals

Scarecrow Festival

Sep. 21-23, 2012; Sep. 27-29, 2013 Scarecrow Square Scarecrow displays, sculpting, crafts, parade, basketball, contests, kids' 3k and 5k races, entertainment, antique car show. Hours vary. 219.733.2183. scarecrowfest.org &

■ WARSAW 統

Information

Indiana's Kosciusko County

111 Capital Dr. One of the most beautiful areas in the

Midwest with over 100 lakes surrounded by wooded shorelines, beaches and wetlands. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5pm; Sat. 10am-4pm. 800.800.6090. koscvb.org &

Lodging Comfort Inn & Suites-Warsaw

3328 E Center St.

Enjoy Tippecanoe Lake and Lake Wawasee, some of Indiana's largest and deepest natural lakes, less than 15 miles away. 574.269.6655. choicehotels.com/hotel/in234

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Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites

3825 Lake City Hwy. Ideal hotel for the business, leisure and family travelers who are looking for an upgraded hotel that is economical. Hours vary. 574.268.1600. hiewarsaw.com & 🙉 🕇 🖨

WINAMAC

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Recreation

Tippecanoe River State Park 4200 N US 35

Rent-a-camp cabins available. Hiking, bridle trails (BYOH), fishing, summer nature/history programs, reservable camping, shelters and group camp Adm. chg. Hours vary. 574.946.3213. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ WOLCOTTVILLE

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Attractions

Cook's Bison Ranch

5645 E 600 S

Where the buffalo still roam. Wagon rides to see and feed buffalo, gift shop, meat and meals available. Reservation required. Adm. chg. May-Oct. Hours vary. 866.382.2356. CooksBisonRanch.com &

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CAMPING	Group Rates / Discounts	Handicapped Accessible	Pets Allowed	On-site Lodging	RV Sites	Tents	Tables	Grates / Grills	Flush Toilets	Shower / Hot Water	Water Hookup	Sewer Hookup	Electric Hookup	Wi-Fi / Internet Access	Recreation Hall	Tennis On-site	Swimming On-site	Boat Rental On-site	Boating On-site	Fishing Lake On-site	Bait / Tackle On-site	Grocery On-Site	Additional Notes
Angola Pokagon State Park 450 Ln. 100 Lake James 260.833.2012 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•		•	Nature center with nature/history programs. Saddlebarn with escorted rides, famous toboggan run. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Chesterton Indiana Dunes State Park 1600 N 25 E 219.926.1952 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•					•	Nature center with nature/history programs. Access to Calumet Trail. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Fremont Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park Camp Resort 140 Lane 240 tane 240 140 Lane 250 16063 jellystonesbest.com	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	Destination resort with 540 campsites, RV & tent, cottage/cabin rentals, four pools, waterslides, splash playground, camp store and more!
Goshen Elkhart County 4-H Campground ♣ 17746 County Road 34 574.533.3247 4hfair.org		•	•		•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•									Available year-round except during closed events. 30/50 amp hook-ups. Weekly, monthly rates.
Middlebury Elkhart County / Middlebury Exit KOA 45 52887 SR 13 800.562.5892 middleburykoa.com			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	In Amish Country, near Shipshewana. Heated pool, hiking and fishing in clean and comfortable surroundings. Open Apr. 1-Oct. 31. High-speed internet.
North Liberty Potato Creek State Park 25601 SR 4 574.656.8186 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•		•	Bridle trails (BYOH), horsemen's camp. Nature center with programs, winter tubing hill and mountain bike trails. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Winamac Tippecanoe River State Park 4200 N US 35 574,946,3213 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•										Horsemen's camping, saddlebarn with escorted rides, rent-a-camp cabins available. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.

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Excitement abounds in Eastern Indiana.

Whether watching a horse race, tailgating,
cheering on a baseball team or wandering
through a garden maze, you'll find yourself
swept away in the moment.







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LOCALLY GROWN Past and present delights

Lunch at the Wilson-Vaughan Hostess House in Marion whisks you away to a time of cocktail parties and afternoon teas. Enjoy a refreshing lunch in the ornate 1912 mansion and hear the story of its creation and inhabitants. Explore the beauty of Charley Creek Gardens in Wabash on your own or take a free guided tour through the wildflower meadow, shade garden, maze, labyrinth and waterfall to reconnect with nature. The Minnetrista Farmers Market in Muncie is the place to find delicious, local foods. More than 80 vendors offer produce, meat, dairy products and baked goods that taste of pure freshness. Watch canning and cooking demonstrations on the second and last Saturday of each month.



ARTS AND CULTURE

Designs that shine

Follow the Indiana Glass Trail to The House of Glass in Elwood, where craftsmen have been blowing glass for more than 20 years. Take home one of their famous paperweights designed in modern and antique styles or order a personalized gift. View and purchase local art at the Kokomo Art Association's galleries and shops, including The Artworks Gallery, which features beautiful glass masterpieces as well as paintings, ceramics, jewelry, baskets and more. Discover amazing architecture on a tour of Kokomo's **Seiberling Mansion**. Its ornate, 1891 Neo-Jacobean and Romanesque Revival architecture, stunning interior woodwork, Victorian staircase and grand ballroom make it a cultural treasure.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Test your skills at Marion's Walnut

Creek Golf Courses. Take it easy with
long tees and wide greens on the Walnut

Creek Course, then step up your game

at the Club Run course that includes doglegs and layups. Hop in a canoe on the smooth waters of **Salamonie Lake** in Andrews to enjoy nature's beauty. Mountain biking trail, fishing piers, snowmobile trails and bridle trails around the lake offer activities for every season. Standardbred and thoroughbred horses fly around the track at **Hoosier Park Racing and Casino**. Be on the edge of your seat during a close race or test your luck with a wager. Enjoy a concert, dine in style or have fun in the casino after the race.

DESTINATION RESTAURANTS/ LODGING

Classic good times

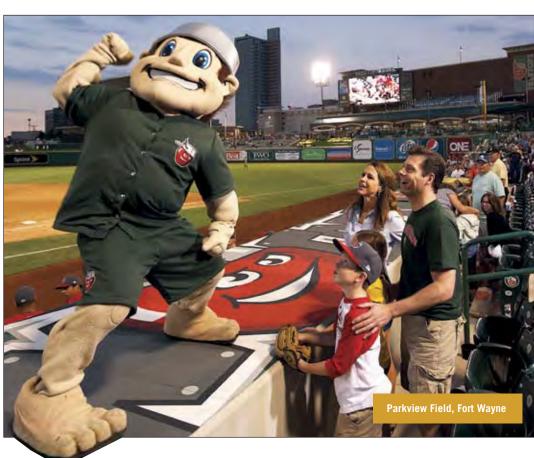
Slip away to **Bonge's Tavern** in Perkinsville for fun, food and friends. Spend a summer evening tailgating in their parking lot or take a seat in the tavern and consult the famous chalkboard menu. The **Olde Richmond Inn's** chef learned his culinary skills in England and Paris and offers classically delicious food from his repertoire. As you dine, enjoy the majesty of the 1892 Victorian house with Italian decorative tiles and custom stained glass

pieces. One hundred milkshake flavors and the perfect tenderloin give you 101 reasons to visit **Ivanhoes** in Upland. Chocolate Peanut Butter Pretzel, Strawberry Cookie Banana and Sweet Cream Caramel are a few of the milkshake flavors your taste buds can savor.

FAMILY FUN

Play, cheer, explore

Surprise the kids with a nine-day circus at Peru's annual Circus City Festival. The city transforms into a playland filled with circus games, amusement park rides, fun foods and hours of circus performances that conclude with a grand finale parade. Parkview Field, home of the Fort Wayne TinCaps, was given an intimate design to ensure each visitor an exciting baseball experience. Perch on the lawn, picnic in a pavilion or book a field box to watch the game. Fun is educational at Fort Wayne's **Science Central**. Encounter science as your kids create bubbles the size of their bodies, see starfish in the Ocean Tidal Pool, challenge their minds with puzzles and ride the High Rail Bike 30 feet in the air.



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CHILDREN'S ZOO
Fort Wayne
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VALLEY RAILROAD
Connersville
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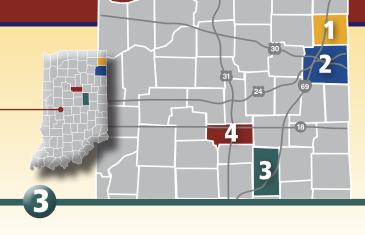
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Photos clockwise from top: 2,000 Slots and e-Table Games; Homestretch Steakhouse; Call 1-800-9-WITH-IT. Live Standardbred and Thoroughbred Racing



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Muncie Visitors Bureau 425 N High St., Ste. 5 Muncie, IN 47305 800.568.6862 visitmuncie.org

Garden Fair at Minnetrista, Photo by Dale Pickett, Adventure Studios

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You are invited to drive the Historic National Road, a nationally designated scenic byway, and discover the Road that Built the Nation.



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Huntington County Visitor and Convention Bureau 407 N Jefferson St., Huntington, IN 46750 800.848.4282 • visithuntington.org

Two-EE's Winery opening Spring 2012



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Cass County Visitors Bureau (866) *75*3.4856

Cass County Visitors Bureau 300 E Broadway, Ste. 103, Logansport, IN 46947 visit-casscounty.com

Waterfall at France Park, photo by Judi Barr

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GENE STRATTON-PORTER

Cabin at Wildflower Woods ROME CITY INDIANA STATE MUSEUM

Gene Stratton-Porter 1205 Pleasant Point Rome City, IN 46784 260.854.3790 indianamuseum.org

GENE'S WILDFLOWER ESCAPE

Explore 125 acres of fields, woods and formal gardens that surround noted Hoosier author and naturalist Gene Stratton-Porter's beautiful cabin. Discover the wildlife and landscapes that inspired her 12 novels, nature studies, poetry and children's books. Situated in Wildflower Woods next to Sylvan Lake, this cedar log cabin is perfect for both nature and literature lovers!

Photos left to right: Mother/Daughter tea; The Cabin at Wildflower Woods



TRAIN TRAVEL THROUGH TIME

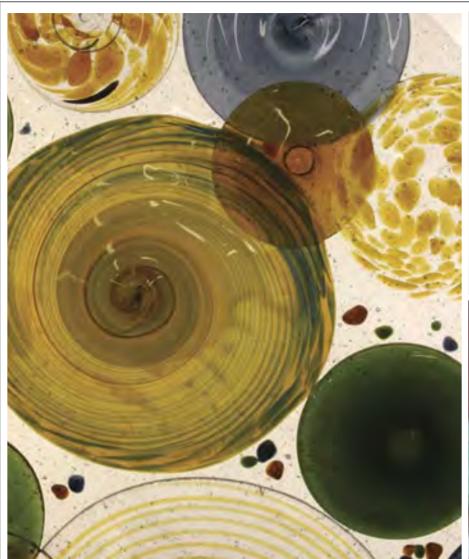
Beckon back to a time when the railroad moved the nation. Relax on vintage rail equipment while traveling through the Scenic Whitewater Valley.



Whitewater Valley Railroad 455 Market St., Connersville, IN 47331 765.825.2054 • whitewatervalleyrr.org

Excursion arriving in Historic Metamora, Photo by Emmett A. Vaughan









INDIANA GLASS TRAIL

Glass Trail highlights talented artisans

Indiana Glass Trail 325 N Main St. Kokomo, IN 46901 800.837.0971 IndianaGlassTrail.com Indiana has been producing glass and glass products since 1888. Today, glass artists are in abundance throughout Central Indiana and can be accessed through IndianaGlassTrail.com or at any visitors bureau sites on the trail: Kokomo, visitkokomo.org; Muncie, visitmuncie.org; Anderson, heartlandspirit.com; Columbus, columbus.in.us; or Hamilton County, 8GreatTowns.com.

Tour Kokomo Opalescent Glass Factory in Kokomo, watch students work on glass projects at Ball State University Glass School in Muncie, visit The House of Glass in Elwood for artwork made in the studio, see Chihuly artwork on display at the Columbus Visitor Center while visiting their amply stocked gift shop and enjoy glass-filled antique shops and galleries in Hamilton County.

Photos clockwise from left: Kokomo Opalescent Rondels, Photo by Brenda Bush; Kokomo Opalescent Glass Blown Vase; Zaharakos Antique Glass, Columbus



■ REGIONWIDE

Information

East Region Tourism Marketing Co-Op Automotive history, Antique Alley, beautiful parks, many heritage festivals, world-class golf courses, horse racing and casino, nationally acclaimed museums. Hours vary. visiteasternindiana.org

Indiana Foodways Alliance

The Alliance identifies and nurtures Indiana's varied community culinary heritages through education, partnerships, public relations and regional co-op. 317.853.4944. indianafoodways.com &

Attractions

Indiana Artisan

Look for the Indiana Artisan seal on select art, craft and food from the Hoosier State. It recognizes the work of the state's best craftspeople. 317.607.8715. IndianaArtisan.org

ALBION

For Camping see page 57

Attractions

Black Pine Animal Sanctuary 1426 W 300 N

Meet over 50 species of exotic animals, rescued pets and retired performers at this country sanctuary. Call for tour times. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.636.7383. blackpine.org

Lodging
Family Cabins at Chain O'Lakes State Park 2355 E 75 S

Furnished housekeeping cabin sleeps six. Eight connecting lakes with boat/ canoe rental. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. 260.636.2654. camp.IN.gov &

Recreation

Chain O' Lakes State Park 2355 E 75 S

Eight connecting lakes for boating and canoeing. Hiking, swimming, picnicking, seasonal naturalist. camping and cross-country skiing trails. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.636.2654. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ ANDERSON 統

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Information

Anderson/Madison County Visitor & Convention Bureau

6335 S Scatterfield Rd. Discover history, the arts, auto and horse racing, casino action, festivals and more when you visit Anderson/ Madison County. Come for the FUN of it! Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 800.533.6569. heartlandspirit.com &

Attractions

Good's Candy Shop

1423 W 53rd St. Visit the largest candy and ice cream shop and widest selection in the state. Fine chocolates and homemade ice cream made while you watch. Tours available. Mon.-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sun. 1pm-9pm. Closed major holidays. 866.375.0309. GoodsCandyShop.com ₺ 🖨

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Recreation

Mounds State Park

4306 Mounds Rd. Staffed visitor center. Swimming, hiking, picnicking. Name refers to unique prehistoric earthworks found here. Reservable camping and shelters. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.642.6627. stateparks.IN.gov &

ANDREWS

For Camping see page 57

Recreation

Salamonie Lake and Forest 9214 W Lost Bridge W

Staffed nature center, fishing and hunting in season, hiking, bridle, crosscountry skiing and snowmobile trails. Reservable camping and shelters. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.468.2125. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ AUBURN 稅

Information

DeKalb County Visitors Bureau 500 S Grandstaff Dr., Ste. C Visit DeKalb County, IN and experience our museums featuring automobiles, trucks, aircraft, railroad memorabilia and military collection. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 260.927.1499. dekalbcvb.org &

Attractions

Auburn Cord Duesenberg Automobile Museum 🏛

1600 S Main St. National historic landmark. 120 classic, vintage and special interest automobiles. Ten premium display galleries. 1930 art deco building. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 9am-5pm. 260.925.1444. automobilemuseum.org &

AVILLA

Restaurants

St. James Restaurant

204 E Albion St. Freeman family-owned since 1949. Mon.-Thu. 7am-10pm; Fri.-Sat. 7am-11pm. Closed major holidays. 260.897.2114. &

BLUFFTON

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Recreation

Ouabache State Park

4930 E SR 201

Bicycle greenway connects park to Bluffton. Swimming pool, fishing, hiking, picnicking, seasonal naturalist and camping. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.824.0926. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

BRYANT

Lodging Bearcreek Farms

8339 N 400 E

Nestled in the country, Bearcreek Farms offers visitors 72 rooms to choose from, free hot breakfast, on-site entertainment, Wi-Fi and more. 260.997.6822.

bearcreekfarms.com & Wi-Fi 🖨

■ CAMBRIDGE CITY

Information

Indiana National Road Association 838 National Rd.

The route plays a significant role in the rich history of Indiana and can be traveled today to tour small towns. cities and rural landscapes. Hours vary.

765.478.3172. indiananationalroad.org &

CENTERVILLE

Shopping

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■ CONNERSVILLE 統

Attractions

Whitewater Valley Railroad 455 Market St.

Relaxing scenic railroad providing a variety of educational and entertaining excursions and special events. This includes trips to historic Metamora. Adm. chg. Mar.-Dec. Hours vary. 765.825.2054.

whitewatervalleyrr.org

DUNREITH

Lodging

Flamingo Motel & Restaurant

108 First St., SR 3 Located near "Antique Alley" on Old National Rd. Flamingo Restaurant is a casual, full-service restaurant known

for their homemade pies and desserts. 765.987.7111. & 🕇 🖨

■ ELWOOD

Festivals

Elwood Glass Festival

Aug. 17-19, 2012; Aug. 16-18, 2013 Callaway Park, 19th and J St. Glass factory tours, car show, quilt show, parade, entertainment, carnival and more. No adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.552.0180. ₺

■ FAIRMOUNT 統

Festivals

Fairmount Museum Days/James Dean Festival *

Sep. 28-30, 2012; Sep. 27-29, 2013 Playacres Park and Main St. James Dean authentic memorabilia including his two motorcycles exhibited at the museum. James Dean look-alike contest, James Dean custom car show. Hours vary. 765.948.4555. jamesdeanartifacts.com &

■ FARMLAND 🔅

Attractions

Historic Farmland

103 S Main St.

Cultural and entertainment events and activities in a historical setting surrounded by the quaint charm of Indiana's rich rural heritage. Tue.-Sat. Noon-3pm. Closed major holidays. 765.468.7631. farmlandindiana.org &

LEGEND

Association of Indiana Museums

Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association

Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association

Indiana State Festival Association

Indiana Restaurant Association

Indiana Wine Grape Council

Main Street Community

Accessible

Groups Welcome

Indoor Pool

Outdoor Pool

Pets Allowed

■ FORT WAYNE 統

Information

Visit Fort Wayne

927 S Harrison St. Enjoy affordable fun family getaways in Fort Wayne, Indiana! Check out VisitFortWayne.com for itineraries, coupons, packages, guides and maps. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.767.7752. VisitFortWayne.com &

Attractions

Chief Richardville House

5705 Bluffton Rd. Home of Miami Chief Jean Baptiste de Richardville built in 1827. Recognized as the oldest Native American dwelling in the Midwest. Adm. chg. May-Nov. Hours vary. 260.426.2882. fwhistorycenter.com & 🖨

Foellinger-Freimann **Botanical Conservatory**

1100 S Calhoun St. Always in season, three gardens under glass, special events, youth and adult programs, concerts, shopping. Adm. chg. Tue.-Wed., Fri.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Thu. 10am-8pm; Sun. Noon-4pm. Closed major holidays. 260.427.6440. botanicalconservatory.org & 🖨

Fort Wayne Children's Zoo

3411 Sherman Blvd. Meet lions, giraffes, orangutans and 1,500 amazing animals at one of the nation's Top 10 zoos for kids. It's an adventure for the whole family! Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Mon.-Sun. 9am-5pm. 260.427.6800. kidszoo.org & 🖨

Fort Wayne Museum of Art 🏛

311 E Main St.

Featuring fine and decorative American art from colonial to contemporary. Artist originals and more in the museum store. Adm. chg. Tue.-Wed., Fri.-Sat. 11am-6pm; Thu. 11am-9pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. 260.422.6467. fwmoa.org 🕹 🖨

History Center 🏛

302 E Berry St. Museum highlighting history of Fort Wayne/Allen County, from Little Turtle and Anthony Wayne to inventions that originated in this area. Adm. chg. Mon.-Fri. 10am-5pm; Sat. Noon-5pm. First Sun. of month Noon-5pm. Closed major holidays. 260.426.2882. fwhistorycenter.com & 🖨

Science Central

1950 N Clinton St.

Science Central is the place for handson science fun for the whole family. Zip down a giant slide, see a mastodon or try your hand at an experiment. Adm. chg. Wed.-Fri. 10am-4pm; Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. Closed major holidays. 260.424.2400. sciencecentral.org & 🖨

TinCaps Baseball

1301 Ewing St. Parkview Field has received rave reviews from locals and national awards recognizing its unique and versatile

design. The TinCaps play 70 home games. Adm. chg. Apr.-Sep. Hours vary. 260.482.6400. tincaps.com & 🖨

Lodging

Comfort Suites-Fort Wayne

5775 Coventry Ln. Less than 10 miles from attractions like Franke Park, Glenbrook Square shopping mall, Lakeside Rose Garden. 260.436.4300.

choicehotels.com/hotel/in412

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Courtyard by Marriott 1619 W Washington Center Rd. Conveniently located off I-69 near Science Central, the zoo, Spiece Fieldhouse and many other destinations. Enjoy our pool, cafe and fitness center. 260.489.1500. marriott.com/hotels/travel/fwacycourtyard-fort-wayne/ 🙉 🖛 Wi-Fi 🖨

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Downtown at Grand Wavne Convention Center 1150 S Harrison St. Newly opened and unique full-service Courtyard by Marriott in the heart of a revitalized downtown Fort Wayne. Offering 250 spacious guest rooms. 260,490,3629.

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Fairfield Inn and Suites 🞮

6021 Lima Rd. Just 15 minutes from Fort Wavne International Airport (FWA) and four miles from downtown Fort Wayne. Shopping, dining, exercise facilities. 260.442.3040.

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Hampton Inn Southwest

8219 W Jefferson Blvd. Free breakfast, indoor pool, Wi-Fi, business and fitness centers, meeting room, shuttle service, Hilton Honors points. 100% satisfaction guarantee. 260.459.1999.

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Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites 5915 Éllison Rd.

Located in the Village of Coventry, I-69 at Exit 102, Hwy. 24. Features 83 guestrooms and suites. Indoor pool, whirlpool and business facility. 260.459.1888. hiexpress.com/ftwavnein

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Staybridge Suites

5925 Ellison Rd. Extended stay hotel located in southwest Fort Wayne. I-69 at Hwy. 24. Studios, one bedroom and two bedroom suites available. 260.432.2427. staybridge.com/fortwaynein

& # 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

■ FOUNTAIN CITY

Attractions

Levi Coffin Home State Historic Site 🏛 113 US 27 N

Nearly 2,000 slaves found refuge here on their journey north to freedom. Hidden garret and basement are in the home. Closed July 4. Adm. chg. Jun.-Aug. Hours vary. 765.847.2432. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

GENEVA

Attractions

Limberlost State Historic Site 🏛

200 E 6th St. Author, naturalist, photographer/ filmmaker Gene Stratton-Porter studied and wrote about natural wonders from this log home. Explore the wetlands. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.368.7428. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

■ GRABILL

Festivals

Grabill Country Fair

Sep. 6-8, 2012; Sep. 5-7, 2013 Crafts, children's games, music, entertainment, food, Saturday morning parade, exhibitors. Join us for lots of exciting family fun! Hours vary. 260.627.5227 ext. 5. Grabillcountryfair.com &

HAGERSTOWN

Shopping

Abbott's Candy Shop

48 E Walnut St. Abbott's Candy Shop has been making candies since 1890. Sugar-free candy, gifts and cards available. Group tours by appointment. Hours vary. 765.489.4442. abbottscandy.com

■ HUNTINGTON 秋

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Information

Huntington County Visitor & Convention Bureau

407 N Jefferson St. Two-EE's Winery (open Spring 2012), nationally acclaimed restaurants, reservoirs, unique shopping, live entertainment, museums, antiques, festivals. Hours vary. 800.848.4282. visithuntington.org 🕹 🖨

Attractions

Sheets Wildlife Museum & Learning Center

200 Safari Trail Nation's finest taxidermy enables you to see an outstanding collection of nearly 200 species of fish/animals from around the world. Adm. chg. Tue.-Sat. 10am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 260.356.9453. wildlifemuseum.org & **A**

Two-EE's Winery

6808 N US 24 E Dedicated to the artful creation of varietal wines. Free tastings daily with 40 acres of trails and vineyard. Opening Spring 2012. Mon.-Sun. 10am-6pm. Closed major holidays.

800.848.4282 twoees.com &

Festivals

Forks of the Wabash Pioneer Festival Sep. 22-23, 2012; Sep. 28-29, 2013 Hier's Park, 547 S Briant St. Enjoy Hoosier life in the mid-1800s. Encampments, reenactments, crafts, antiques, games, entertainment, tractors, antique bicycles and cars. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.848.4282. pioneerfestival.org &

KENDALLVILLE

Information

Noble County Convention and Visitors Bureau

2010 W N St., US Rt. 6 (log cabin building) Maps and info 24/7. Museums, attractions, beautiful lakes, rural countryside, championship golf, fabulous festivals! Hotels, B&Bs, farm stays. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 877.202.5761. VisitNobleCounty.com

Attractions

Farm to Fork Trail

2010 W N St., US Rt. 6 (log cabin building) Our great agricultural producers will take you on a journey to tell the story of food. Finish off your trip with a specially made homegrown meal. Adm. chg. Feb.-Oct. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 877.202.5761. VisitNobleCounty.com

The Green Triangle Trail 2010 W N St., US Rt. 6 (log cabin building) Noble County is one of the greenest places in the Hoosier state. It is teaming with natural resources and recreational amenities. No adm. chg. Hours vary. 877.202.5761. VisitNobleCounty.com ₺ 🖨

Mid-America Windmill Museum 🏛

732 S Allen Chapel Rd. Historical museum preserving and telling the story of wind power. 40 acres of ground displaying restored windmills, exhibits and video. Adm. chg. Apr.-Nov. Tue.-Fri. 10am-4pm; Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays, 260,347,2334. midamericawindmillmuseum.org & 🖨

The Tombstone Trail

2010 W N St., US Rt. 6 Self-guided and guided tours of eight historic cemeteries spanning over 75 miles. Hear over 80 stories of the famous and not so famous who rest here. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 877.202.5761. tombstonetrail.com & 🖨



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Holiday Inn Express Kendallville

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Enjoy our indoor pool and whirlpool in our completely renovated hotel. Ideal for business or pleasure.
Complimentary full breakfast.
260.343.0000.
hiexpresskendallville.com & 🛣

Festivals

Apple Festival of Kendallville

Oct. 6-7, 2012; Oct. 5-6, 2013 Noble County Fairgrounds, 589 Fair St. 1800-1865 pioneer festival offering demonstrators, primitive village, children's crafts and games, contests, antiques, crafts, food and entertainment. Adm. chg. 260.350.1119. kendallvilleapplefestival.org &

■ KNIGHTSTOWN 🤼

Information

Knightstown Chamber of Commerce 12 N Jefferson St.

Historic town on National Rd. Hoosier Gym, Veterans Memorial, antiques/ specialty shops, golf, camping, train rides, history museum, Boondocks Farms. Hours vary. 800.668.1895. knightstownchamber.org & 🖨

Attractions

CKS Railroad

112 W Carey St.
Round-trip train ride. Part of Old Big
Four Route. One hour and fifteen
minutes. Call for train ride times. Adm.
chg. May-Oct. Fri. 10am-1pm; Sat.
10am-4:30pm; Sun. Noon-4:30pm.

765.345.5561. ₺ 🖨

The Hoosier Gym

355 N Washington St. Home of Hickory Huskers from the movie "Hoosiers," one of Indiana's Hoosier Hysteria basketball shrines. Annual all-star basketball game in June. Hours vary. 800.668.1895. thehoosiergym.com & ■

Lodging Old Hoosier House

7601 S Greensboro Pike
1836 brick home visited by President
VanBuren in 1844. Located close to
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I-70. Forty minutes from Indianapolis.
Hours vary. 765.345.2969. ₺

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■ KOKOMO 統

Information

Kokomo/Howard County CVB

325 N Main St.
Kokomo Opalescent Glass, Seiberling Mansion, Greentown, Haynes, automotive museums, art galleries, glass artists, events, meetings, restaurants and lodging. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 800.837.0971. visitkokomo.org &

Attractions

Elwood Haynes Museum

1915 S Webster St.
Home of Elwood Haynes, inventor of
America's first car and stainless steel.
Memorabilia, furnishings, four Haynes
classic cars. Tue.-Sat. 11am-4pm;
Sun. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays.
765.456.7500. visitkokomo.org &

Indiana Glass Trail

325 N Main St.
A showcase of Hoosier artisans and glass blowers that create magic with glass. The trail connects the communities offering glass art experiences. Hours vary. 800.837.0971.
IndianaGlassTrail.com &

Kokomo Opalescent Glass/The Op Shop

1310 S Market St.
Experience art glass that is handladled and rolled from a 2,500 degree furnace. Watch gaffers mouth-blow glass. Tours Tue.-Fri. 10am, \$5/person. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat. 9am-1pm. Closed major holidays. 765.457.1829. kog.com

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Seiberling Mansion

1200 W Sycamore St.
A list of Indiana's great mansions would undoubtedly include Kokomo's glorious 1891 Seiberling Mansion. Visit today and let us tell you our story. Adm. chg. Feb.-Dec. Tue.-Sun. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays. 765.452.4314. howardcountymuseum.org & ■

Lodging

Courtyard by Marriott 411 Kentucky Dr.

Award-winning hotel convenient to area attractions, shopping, golf and restaurants. Indoor pool and exercise room. On-site restaurant for breakfast. 765.453.0800. courtyard.com

LAGRO

Attractions

OLD I SHE BOOK ON HOLD

St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church W Main St.

Built in 1870 by Irish immigrants, this breathtaking church speaks for itself. Victorian Gothic style, the original bell and organ are still in use. Hours vary. 260.782.2451. & 🖨

Lodging Hidden Hollows Retreat

1943 N 650 E

We invite you and your group to join us in the tranquil beauty of 67 secluded country acres of forest, trails, gardens, ponds, bluffs, prairie grasses. 260.782.0434. hiddenhollowsretreat.com

& **★** Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Hanging Rock

Hanging Rock Rd.
An impressive natural exposure of fossilized coral reef dating back 400 million years. This limestone reef deposit stands over 80 feet above the Wabash River. Hours vary. 260.782.2451. &

LIBERTY

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Lodging Family Cabins at Whitewater Memorial State Park

1418 S SR 101 Housekeeping cabins sleeps six. Great for outdoor fun year-round. Access to nearby Brookville Lake. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. 765.458.5565. stateparks.IN.gov

Recreation

Whitewater Memorial State Park 1418 S SR 101

Swimming, boating, fishing, hiking, bridle trails (BYOH) and saddlebarn with escorted rides. Summer nature/ history programs. Reservable camping/ cabins. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.458.5565. stateparks.IN.gov &

■ LIGONIER 救

Festivals

Ligonier Marshmallow Festival

Aug. 31-Sep. 3, 2012; Aug. 30-Sep. 2, 2013 Main St.

Selected ABA's 2009 Top 100 Events in North America for group travel. Crafts, amusement rides, car show, live entertainment, games, food. Hours vary. 260.215.1982. themarshmallowfestival.com &

Pumpkin Fantasyland 🖈

Oct. 1-31, 2012; Oct. 1-31, 2013 Fashion Farm, 1680 Lincolnway W Pumpkins, gourds and squash are used to create well-known characters and historical events. Hayrides, refreshments and good food. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 8am-7pm. 260.894.4498. fashionfarminc.com &

Shopping

Annie Oakley Perfumery

300 Johnson St.

Tour a real perfumery! Experience the enchantment of the only perfumery in the U.S. Sample natural fragrances and create your own. Browse our gift shop. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 260.894.7219.
AnnieOakley.com ♣ ₩

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LOGANSPORTFor Camping see page 57

Information

Cass County Visitors Bureau

300 E Broadway, Ste. 103 Riverfront recreation, trails, historic Dentzel Carousel, France Park, museums, antique shops, historic architecture and outdoor fun. Mon.-Fri. 8am-1pm. Closed major holidays. 574.753.4856. visit-casscounty.com &

Attractions

Cass County Dentzel Carousel

1208 Riverside Dr.
National landmark. Open to the public for rides all summer. Available for off-season private rentals. Adm. chg. May-Aug. Mon.-Fri. 6pm-9pm; Sat.-Sun. 1pm-9pm. Closed major holidays. 574.753.8725.

visit-casscounty.com & 🖨

Cass County Historical Society 1004 E Market St.

1850s Victorian home houses three floors of local history. Furnishings, artifacts and antiquities proclaim Cass Co.'s interesting heritage. Feb.-Dec. Tue.-Sat. 1pm-5pm. Closed major holidays. 574.753.3866. casshistory.com

Cole Clothing Museum

900 E Broadway
Queen Anne Victorian home with
vintage clothing pre-1900s through
1970s. Style shows and off-season
hours by appointment. Adm. chg. Apr.Dec. Tue.-Fri. 1pm-4pm. Closed major
holidays. 574.753.4058.

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LEGEND

- Association of Indiana Museums
- $\ensuremath{\square}$ Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association
- Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association
- Indiana State Festival Association
- Indiana Restaurant Association
- Indiana Wine Grape Council
- ★ Main Street Community
- & Accessible
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Logansport Art Association

424 Front St. Monthly art exhibits, artisan shop, classes, camps, clay program area. Self-guided art walks in April and October. Feb.-Dec. Wed.-Fri. 10am-6pm. Closed major holidays. 574.735.2915. loganart.org &

Longcliff Museum

1098 S SR 25

Visit Indiana's oldest operating mental hospital. Displays show patient life and treatment from 1888 to today. Tours available by appointment. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 574.737.3708. 🖨

McHale Performing Arts Center

1 Berry Ln. Top-notch facility has 799 seats with 16 handicapped and companion seating. Past performers include The Lettermen and Ray Charles. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 574.753.4116. mchalepac.org &

The People's Winery 🤏

414 S Third St. Custom winery, quality wines made from the finest varietal juices from around the world. Join us in this warm and welcoming atmosphere. Tue.-Fri. 2pm-8pm; Sat. 11am-7pm; Sun.

11am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 574.516.1559. &

US 24 Speedway

6830 W US 24

An 1/8th mile, clay, oval track located seven miles west of Logansport. Call for schedule. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. 574.753.6922. us24speedway.com

Lodging
Country View Inn & Restaurant 1411 US 35 N

Very clean rooms, friendly service, wooded rural setting. Near Indiana Beach and US 24 Speedway. Restaurant hours of operation limited. 574.753.3167. &

Holiday Inn Express and Suites

3939 É Market St.

Seventy-four spacious, exquisitely furnished guestrooms, huge indoor pool, spacious exercise room and large meeting room. 574.735.6000. hiexpress.com/logansport

& 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Inntiquity, A Country Inn & Restaurant 🗷

1075 SR 25 N Elegant mini boutique hotel/inn. Enjoy ponds, gardens, gazebo, decks, fireplaces and luxury linens. Great for banquets and weddings. Near France Park. 574.722.2398. inntiquity.com & ★ Wi-Fi

Manor Motel

3315 E Market St. Friendly service, clean rooms, weekly rates. Close to shopping, mall, restaurants, athletic fields and parks. 574.722.4885. # 🖨

Ramada

3550 E Market St.

Full-service, mid-scale hotel with lots of other amenities. Restaurant on-site. Close to restaurants, shopping, Dentzel Carousel, parks and more. 574.753.6351. ramada.com

& # · Wi-Fi 🖨

Super 8

3801 E Market St.

Get your day going with our super start breakfast. Near shopping and dining. 574.722.1273.

super8.com ₺ # Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Dykeman's Municipal Golf Course

101 Eberts Rd. Best course and best deal anywhere! 6185 yards, par 70. Greens fees and cart rentals discounted 25% after 1pm. Adm. chg. Mar.-Nov. Hours vary. 574.753.0222.

dykemanpark.com & 🖨

France Park

4505 W US 24 W

Enjoy hiking, jogging, biking, crosscountry skiing, swimming, fishing and scuba diving. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 574.753.2928. francepark.com

Little Turtle Waterway

Fourth and Melbourne Trailhead Park and outdoor museum featuring a Wabash riverbank trail which includes the confluence with the Eel River. Hours vary. 574.753.4856. cityoflogansport.org &

River Bluff Trail/Hervey Preserve

800/1500 Michigan Ave. 2.4 miles, handicapped accessible paved and gravel trails plus canoe/ kayak launch, four bridges, pavilions, labyrinth, three entrances and parking. Hours vary. 574.753.4856. logansportmemorial.org 🕹

■ MARION 統

Information

Marion/Grant County Convention and Visitors Bureau

428 S Washington St., Ste. 261 Information on James Dean, Mississinewa Battlefield, Walkway of Lights, Quilters Hall of Fame, golf, antiques, car shows. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. 800.662.9474. showmegrantcounty.com &

Lodging Comfort Suites-Marion

1345 N Baldwin Ave. Close to area attractions like the James Dean Museum, the Marion Civic Museum, Indiana Wesleyan University and Taylor University. 765.651.1006. choicehotels.com/hotel/in409

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Recreation

Walnut Creek Golf Courses

I-69 Exit 59

Two championship courses, 36 holes in beautiful Walnut Creek Valley. Golf Digest gave it a four star rating! Stay/ Play Packages. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.998.7651. walnutcreekgolf.com

Festivals

Mississinewa 1812

Oct. 12-14, 2012; Oct. 11-13, 2013 Mississinewa Battlefield, 7 miles N of Marion on SR 15 Largest War of 1812 living history event in the U.S. Battle reenactments, reconstructed Indian village, trapper camps and sutlers. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.822.1812. mississinewa1812.com &

Restaurants

Hostess House

723 W 4th St.

Beautifully restored historical house that is on the National Historic Register. Luncheon menu includes soups, sandwiches, sides and salads. Adm. chg. Mon.-Fri. 10am-2pm. Closed major holidays. 765.664.3755. showmegrantcounty.com & 🖨

■ MIDDLETOWN

Lodging Spring Valley Campground 8186 W County Road 575 N Family-oriented fun with views, large pool, clubhouse, full-service store. Tent, full-service hook-up and cabin camping. Pavilion and banquet room. 765.354.4521. springvalleycamp.com

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■ MUNCIE 熱

Information

Muncie Visitors Bureau

425 N High St., Ste. 5 Visit Muncie for memorable attractions: Minnetrista, Ball State University Museum of Art, Academy of Model Aeronautics and Muncie Children's Museum. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 800.568.6862. visitmuncie.org &

Attractions

Minnetrista 🏛

1200 N Minnetrista Pkwy. Explore nature, history, gardens and art at Minnetrista! Enjoy shopping, interactive exhibits, a historic home, nature area and more! Adm. chg. Mon.-Sat. 9am-5:30pm; Sun. 11am-5:30pm. Closed major holidays. 765.282.4848. Minnetrista.net & 🖨

Lodging River Gardens Bed and Breakfast □

4610 S Burlington Dr.

Come and enjoy our B&B along the White River. Close to Muncie, Prairie Creek Reservoir, AMA, bike path and 10 miles from Ball State. Easy to find. Friendly setting. 765.284.2964. RiverGardens-Indiana.com Wi-Fi

Shopping

Muncie Mall

3501 N Granville Ave. For a simply great day of shopping and fun, visit Muncie Mall! Anchored by Carson's, JCPenney, Macy's and Sears with 70 other specialty shops. Mon.-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sun. Noon-5:30pm. 765.282.2121. munciemall.com &

NEW CASTLE

For Camping see page 57

Information

Henry County Convention & Visitors Bureau

3205 S Memorial Dr. Henry County welcomes you! We have many attractions and events such as racing, horse shows, go-karting, fishing, camping and much more. Come visit us! Mon.-Fri. 10am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 765.593.0764.

henrycountyin.org & Attractions

Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame 🏛

408 Trojan Ln.

Interactive exhibits and a thrilling collection of Indiana basketball memorabilia. Hoosier Hysteria is alive and well at this museum. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-5pm. Closed major holidays. 765.529.1891. hoopshall.com & 🖨

Wilbur Wright Birthplace & Museum 1525 N County Road 750 E

Wilbur Wright, Indiana's own aviation pioneer, is honored and his birthplace, family, accomplishments, Kitty Hawk replica are preserved in this museum. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Tue.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-5pm. 765.332.2495. wwbirthplace.com ₺ 🖨

Lodging Garden Inn

24 E Executive Dr. Near shopping, restaurants, golf, antique shops, Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and professional go-karting facility, New Castle Motorsports Park. 765.529.0345.

newcastlegardeninn.com &

Mulberry Lane Inn Bed & Breakfast

5256 N County Road 75 W An 1845 mansion on seven rural acres, three-room suite with private kitchen, fireplace, balcony, hot tub. Single room with balcony, fireplace, bath. A 360-view meditation room. 765.836.4500. # •

Steve Alford All-American Inn

21 E Executive Dr. Basketball-themed inn featuring memorabilia, meeting room and workout room. Close to the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and other area attractions, 765,593,1212. stevealfordinn.com &



Recreation

Summit Lake State Park

5993 N Messick Rd. Fishing, swimming, hiking, boating, volleyball and summer nature/history programs. Canoe, paddle boat, rowboat rentals. Reservable camping and shelters. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.766.5873. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ NORTH **MANCHESTER**

Attractions

Manchester College

604 E College Ave. Consistently ranked among "Best Colleges," this beautiful 125-acre campus has entertainment, art galleries, park-like areas and sporting events. Hours vary. 260.982.5000. manchester.edu & 🖨

North Manchester Center for History 🏛

124 E Main St. This museum houses nearly 23,000 local historical treasures including unique and valuable manuscripts, photos, articles, relics and artifacts. Adm. chg. Wed. and Sat. 10am-2pm. 260.982.0672. nmanchesterhistory.org/museum & 🖨

North Manchester Covered Bridge

S Sycamore St.

Travel back in time as you cross this bridge that spans the Éel River. Built in 1872. Hours vary. &

Lodging The Fruit Basket Inn

116 W Main St. Built at the turn of the 20th century, the inn has been in continuous operation for over 20 years with spacious rooms and full traditional breakfast. 260.982.2443. fruitbasketinn.com & Wi-Fi 🖨

Treeway Inn 1601 SR 114 W Only convenient hotel between Wabash and Warsaw. Near SR 13, Akron, Claypool, Manchester College. Features suite with easy access to vehicle. 877.982.9090. thetreewayinn.com # 🖨

For Camping see page 57

Information

Miami County Tourism

13 E Main St. Enjoy festivals, museums, circus, golf, unique shops, Miami Indian/ historic sites, camping, boating, canoeing, biking, fishing, wineries and orchards. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 765.472.1923. enjoymiamicounty.com &

Recreation

Mississinewa Lake 4673 S 625 E

Rent-a-camp cabins and long-term camping available. Water-based activities, hiking, summer nature/ history programs, disc golf, RC field, hunting in season. Reservable shelters. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.473.6528.

Festivals

Circus City Festival

stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

Jul. 14-21, 2012; Jul. 13-20, 2013 The Americantrust Circus City Center, 154 Broadway Come see 200 of Miami County's finest youth perform 11 spectacular shows. One of the best values in family entertainment in the state of Indiana. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.327.1722. perucircus.com & A

PORTLAND

Information

Jay County Visitor and

Tourism Bureau

118 S Meridian St. Events, lodging, camping, restaurants, attractions, shopping, entertainment, history, genealogy, antique, golfing and group tours. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 260.726.3366. visitjaýcounty.com & 🖨

Lodging Holiday Inn Express

100 Holiday Dr. Heated, indoor swimming pool and an outdoor patio. 260.726.6688. hiexpress.com/portlandin

🕹 🙉 Wi-Fi 🚊

Hoosier Inn

1620 N Meridian St. Twenty-four rooms, continental breakfast and Wi-Fi. 260.726.7113. visitjaycounty.com #

1147 US Hwy. 27 N

Forty rooms, family suites, whirlpool suites, exercise room, continental breakfast and Wi-Fi. 260.726.8888. super8.com &

■ RICHMOND ��

Information

Richmond/Wayne County Visitors Bureau

5701 National Rd. E Knowledgeable travel advisers with trip ideas, directions, free maps, brochures and Richmond area discount card. Gift shop. 24-hour information vestibule. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.828.8414. visitrichmond.org

Attractions

Chocolate Trail

5701 National Rd. E Indulge yourself! Complimentary samples: chocolates, candles, wine, fudge, ice cream and chocolate desserts. Free and available to enjoy year-round. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.828.8414. visitrichmond.org &

Just Us Girls Getaway Packages

5701 National Rd. E We have fashioned fantastic deals for a girls getaway. Each lady receives \$75+ freebies...\$10-\$25 shopping gift certificates, free desserts and more. Hours vary. 800.828.8414. visitrichmond.org &

Richmond/Wayne County Murals Trail 5701 National Rd. E

More than 40 vibrant murals are woven along city streets in an inspiring collage of Richmond/Wayne County's history and imagination. Free attraction. Hours vary. 800.828.8414. visitrichmond.org &

Wayne County Historical Museum 🏛 1150 N A St.

This gem of a museum is like a small Smithsonian, New York Metropolitan and Williamsburg all rolled into one. Adm. chg. Mon.-Fri. 9am-4pm; Sat.-Sun. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays. 765.962.5756. waynecountyhistoricalmuseum.com

Festivals

Gennett Records Walk of Fame Music Festival

Sep. 8, 2012; Sep. 7, 2013 Starr Pavilion, Whitewater Gorge Park, 201 S 1st St. Richmond launched some of the world's greatest recording artists such as Louis Armstrong. Attend the Gennett Records Walk of Fame Music Festival. Hours vary. 765.962.2860.

starrgennett.org & 🖨 Restaurants

Galo's Italian Grill

107 Garwood Rd.

Lunch and dinner menu includes woodfired pizzas, steaks, seafood, poultry and classic pasta dishes. Unique atmosphere, full-service bar. Patio dining. Hours vary. 765.973.9000. chefgalo.com &

The Olde Richmond Inn

138 S 5th St.

Built in 1892, historic Victorian home converted into a restaurant in 1984. Seating up to 200, banquets/ private receptions. Seafood, steaks, pasta. Mon.-Thu. 11am-9pm; Fri.-Sat. 11am-10am; Sun. Noon-6pm. Closed major holidays. 765.962.2247. oldrichmondinn.com &

Shopping

Indiana's Antique Alley

5701 National Rd. E A treasure trove of antiques and collectibles awaits you on our two convenient loop trails offering an array of vintage to the finest in period antiques. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.828.8414. visitrichmond.org &

ROANN

Attractions

Roann Covered Bridge

700 W and Hwy. 16 Experience the history of the American heartland by touring the Roann Covered Bridge, originally built in 1877. Hours vary. 800.563.1169. stockdalemill.org/rcb &

Stockdale Mill

Indiana SR 16 Experience a bygone era and tour a working water-powered flour and grist mill built in 1857. Run entirely by volunteers. May-Oct. Sat. Noon-4pm. 765.833.2019. stockdalemill.org ₺ 🖨

■ ROME CITY

Attractions

Gene Stratton-Porter Cabin State Historic Site 🏛

1205 Pleasant Point Visit the Sylvan Lake home of Gene Stratton-Porter, Hoosier author, naturalist, photographer and filmmaker. Gardens and wildflower paths offer hiking. Adm. chg. Apr.-Nov. Hours vary. 260.854.3790. indianamuseum.org &

Festivals

A Dream of Beauty Holiday Walk Dec. 1, 2012; Dec. 7, 2013 Gene Stratton-Porter Cabin, Sylvan Lake, 1205 Pleasant Pt. The cabin is open and decorated for Christmas circa 1917. Enjoy entertainment, crafts and wagon rides. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.854.3790. indianamusuem.org & 🖨

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Chautauqua Days Aug. 18-19, 2012; Aug. 17-18, 2013 Gene Stratton-Porter Cabin, Sylvan Lake, 1205 Pleasant Pt. Celebrate Chautauqua Days and Gene Stratton-Porter's birthday with crafts, music, children's activities, a birthday cake and more. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.854.3790. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

■ ROYAL CENTER

Attractions

Indian Trail Wines 🤏

7540 N County Road 350 W Our rustic charm will bring you in, but our wonderful wines will keep you here! Relax and indulge in one of our favorite wines today! Fri.-Sun. 11am-6pm. 574.889.2509. indiantrailwines.com &

Recreation

Crooked Creek Trails Horseback Riding Stables

7187 W County Road 250 N Chaperoned rides on scenic trails. Moonlight rides available. Groups welcome. We also offer pony rides and camping. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 9am-6pm. 574.643.9395. crookedcreektrails.com ₺ 🖨

SPRINGPORT

Lodging Whitetail Tree Farm

8650 N 100 E Quiet country setting on Christmas tree farm. Beautiful decor, private baths, separate banquet facility, gift shop. Perfect for weddings and retreats. Hours vary. 765.755.3345. whitetailtreefarm.com

■ UNION CITY 🔅

Attractions

City of Union City

105 N Columbia St. Historic downtown, shops, antiques, Ghyslain Gourmet Chocolates, Municipal Wind and Solar Energy tours, Randolph County Art Association Gallery. Hours vary. 765.964.6534. myunioncity.com &

UPLAND

Restaurants

Ivanhoes Restaurant 979 S Main St.

Relax in our casual atmosphere and enjoy a meal with friends or family. Enjoy dessert with a menu of over 100 milkshakes and 100 sundaes! Mon.-Thu. 10am-10pm; Fri.-Sat. 10am-11pm; Sun. 2pm-10pm. Closed major holidays. 765.674.3222. showmegrantcounty.com &

■ WABASH 統

Information

Wabash County Convention and Visitors Bureau

36 E Market St. Questions? We have answers. Our expert locals can tell you where to go and why to go. And we'll give you the name of who you'll meet when you arrive! Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5pm. 260.563.7171. wabashcountycvb.com & 🖨

Attractions

Charley Creek Gardens

551 N Miami St. Sprawled across six acres, the gardens include a 1/2-mile path that covers varied terrain and winds through a hedge maze, labyrinth and waterfall. Hours vary. 260.563.1020. charleycreekgardens.org & 🖨

Dr. James Ford Historic Home 177 W Hill St.

Restored 19th century physician's home and medical practice. Come experience the daily lives, personalities and activities of a Civil War family. Adm. chg. Wed.-Thu. 10am-3pm; Fri.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. 260.563.8686. jamesfordmuseum.org

Eagles Theatre

106 W Market St. Originally opened in 1906 as a vaudeville performance theater, this Art Deco-style theater has been revitalized for tours, events and new movies. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 260.563.3272. eaglestheatre.com & 🖨

Honeywell Center

275 W Market St. This venue includes a 1,500-seat theater, restaurant, art gallery and meeting spaces. Hosts Broadway shows to concerts, weddings to meetings. Hours vary. 260.563.1102. honeywellcenter.org & 🖨

The Honeywell House

720 N Wabash St.

A former residence built in 1880, this nonprofit cultural center is the ideal setting for public and private events, luxurious dinners and tours. Hours vary. 260.563.2326.

honeywellhouse.org 🕹 🖨

Wabash County Historical Museum 🏛 36 E Market St.

Known as the "Best County Museum in the State," visitors delight in the modern, interactive displays. Activities for all ages and abilities abound! Adm. chg. Tue.-Sat. 10am-4pm; 260.563.9070. wabashmuseum.org

Lodging Charley Creek Inn

111 W Market St. Historic boutique hotel, 30 guestrooms and suites, downtown Wabash. Distinct dining and shopping. Event spaces and "green" rooftop party room. 260.563.0111. charleycreekinn.com &

Holiday Inn Express

1311 N Cass St. Our contemporary accommodations are situated in northeast Indiana, just minutes from area colleges, local businesses, historic sites and attractions. 260.569.1189. hiexpress.com & 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Wabash Knights Inn 1950 S Wabash St. Our philosophy is to exceed our guests' expectations by providing friendly service and exceptional value. A first class restaurant on-site, lounge. 260.563.7451. wabashinn.net < Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Wabash County Bike Trail

36 E Market St. Ninety-two-mile hard surface trail that winds through the city of Wabash and the town of North Manchester, among others. Hours vary. 260.563.7171.

■ WINCHESTER 統

Information

Randolph County Convention and Visitors Bureau

Speed, sweets and silver! Chocolatier, pie factory, gourmet bakeries, winery, coffee micro-roaster, SilverTowne, Winchester Speedway, artisans, dinner theater. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 765.584.3266. roamrandolph.org &

Attractions

Historic Winchester Shopping and **Dining District**

Main St.

Shops, eateries, farmers markets, festivals, outdoor dining and free Wi-Fi. "Early Indiana Life" mural inside 1876 courthouse. Indiana's second-tallest war memorial. Hours vary. 765.584.3266. winchestermainstreet.com &

SilverTowne, LP

120 E Union City Pike Huge inventory of coins, bullion, collectibles, gifts and jewelry. Each department has its own showroom. Inquire for tours. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat. 9am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 800.788.7481. silvertowne.com &

Wick's Pies, Inc 217 SE Greenville Ave. Tour Wick's bakery and observe the making and baking of pies and pie shells. Tours available by appointment. Pie shop hours Mon. Fri. 6am-7pm; Sat. 6am-2pm. 800.642.5880. Wickspies.com &

■ WOLF LAKE

Attractions

Luckey Hospital Museum

US Hwy. 33 and SR 109 Large collection of medical artifacts, books and uniforms displayed in a 1930s era hospital. Open to the public Jun.-Aug., Wed. and Sat. 10am-2pm. Group tours by appointment anytime all year. Adm. chg. 260.635.2490. luckeyhospitalmuseum.org & 🖨

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CAMPING	Group Rates / Discounts	Handicapped Accessible	Pets Allowed	On-site Lodging	RV Sites	Tents	Tables	Grates / Grills	Flush Toilets	Shower / Hot Water	Water Hookup	Sewer Hookup	Electric Hookup	Wi-Fi / Internet Access	Recreation Hall	Tennis On-site	Swimming On-site	Boat Rental On-site	Boating On-site	Fishing Lake On-site	Bait / Tackle On-site	Grocery On-site	Additional Notes
Albion Chain O'Lakes State Park 2355 E 75 S 260.636.2654 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•		•	A unique nature center and eight connecting lakes to paddle through. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Anderson Mounds State Park 4306 Mounds Rd. 765.642.6627 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•		•		•					•	Nature center open year-round. Visit ancient Native American earthworks. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Andrews Salamonie Lake 9214 Lost Bridge W 260.468.2125 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•	•	•	Nature center open year-round. Bridle trails, snowmobiling and hunting in season. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Bluffton Ouabache State Park 4930 E SR 201 260.824.0926 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•		•		•	•	•	•			Access to bicycle greenway into Bluffton. Summer nature/history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Huntington Camp Timber Lake T 1740 E 675 N 260.672.3251 CampTimberLakelN.com		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•		Lakefront and wooded sites, 12-acre private lakes, 13 miles from I-69 and Fort Wayne. Daily, weekly and monthly rates. Electric and primitive sites open Apr. 1-Oct 31. Full-service sites open all year.
Liberty Whitewater Memorial State Park 1418 S SR 101 765.458.5565 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•	•	•	Bridle trails (BYOH) and horsemen's camping. Summer nature/history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Logansport France Park 4505 W US 24W 574.753.2928 francepark.com	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•		•		•			•	•	•	Enjoy hiking, jogging, biking and cross-country skiing on scenic trails. Swimming, fishing and scuba diving on-site. Picnic near scenic waterfalls.
Tall Sycamore Campground #A 355 S County Road 600 E 574.753.4898 tallsycamorecampground.com		•	•	•	•		•			•			•	•	•		•				•	•	Choose from 125 campsites on the Wabash River. Close to Dentzel Carousel, Peru Circus Museum, Grissom Air Museum. Playground, horseshoes and basketball court.
New Castle Summit Lake State Park 5993 N Messick 765.766.5873 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•			Summer nature/history programs. Great fishing and sand volleyball courts. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Peru Mississinewa Lake 4673 S 625 E 765.473.6528 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•			•	•	•	•	•		•	Rent-a-camp cabins available. Summer history/nature programs. Disc golf/RC flying field. Hunting in season. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.

CENTRAL

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A unique blend of urban and rural, Central Indiana
lets you experience big-city entertainment and
international cuisine as well as the respite of
family-owned farms and restaurants and quiet,
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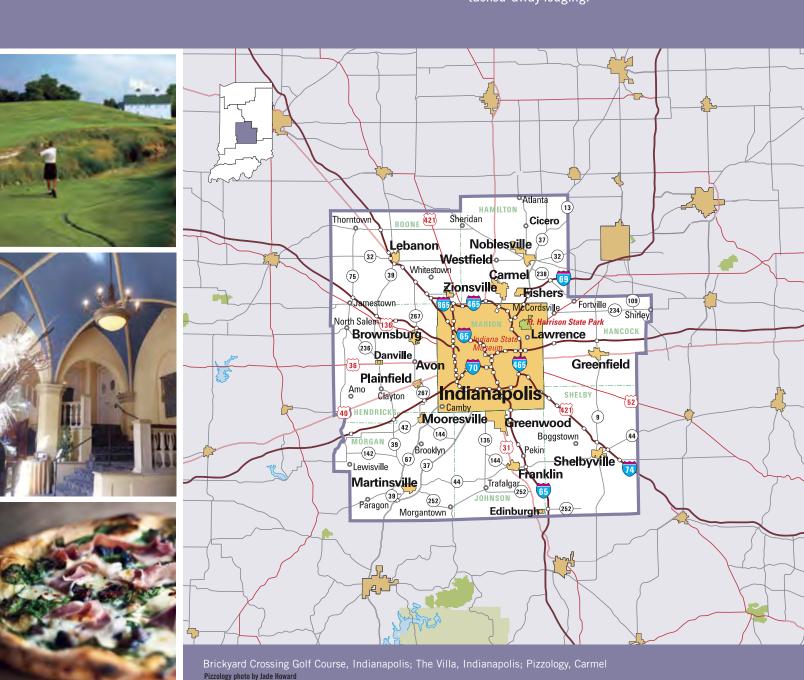




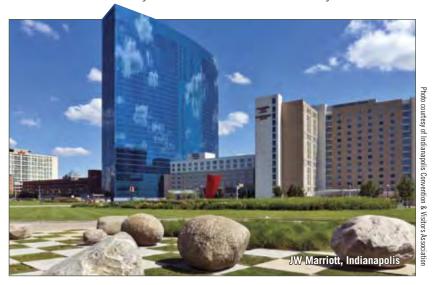


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DESTINATION RESTAURANTS/LODGING

Big city, big flavors

A stay at the **JW Marriott** makes downtown Indianapolis your playground with a variety of things to see and do within walking distance. Luxurious rooms with terry cloth bathrobes keep you comfortable while the hotel's restaurant, sports bar, pool and fitness facility entertain you. **The Rathskeller**, the oldest restaurant in Indianapolis, serves everything from traditional German food to American favorites in its 19th century building. On the weekends, grab a European brew and head out to the Biergarten for live entertainment. Craving Italian? **Pizzology** in Carmel serves up Neapolitan-style pizzas made with local sausage and cheese and deliciously thin crusts. Appetizers, pasta and gelato round out a meal that sends your taste buds on a tour of Italy.



GIRLFRIEND GETAWAYS

Time for yourself

Grab the girls and hit the Indy Wine Trail, featuring six amazing wineries surrounding Indianapolis. Options like Easley Winery downtown, Chateau Thomas in Plainfield and Mallow Run in Bargersville provide unique flavors and atmospheres. Treat yourself to a stay at The Villa, an inn, restaurant and spa modeled after a Florentine villa. Incredible Italian food, spa treatments, salon services and luxurious accommodations in one location make it the perfect destination. With more than 20 years of experience, Chef Keltie provides exceptional cuisine and outstanding service at Kelties Restaurant in Westfield. Gourmet dishes include Mint and Curry Lamb Chops and Balsamic Chicken, with plenty of heart-healthy choices.

LOCALLY GROWN

Farm fresh

On a tour of **Traders Point Creamery** in Zionsville, you'll learn about their commitment to 100 percent grass-fed beef, organic foods and sustainability

practices while enjoying time on a farm. Visit The Loft Restaurant to indulge in gourmet dishes and fresh ice cream. In Indianapolis, **New Day Meadery's** wines are made from high-quality, local honey and fruit to deliver the ultimate flavors. Enjoy a tasting of their certified Indiana Artisan wines and take home your favorites. Twenty-three varieties of apples, cider, sweet corn, tomatoes, flowers and more can be found at **Tuttle Orchards** in Greenfield. This family-owned farm also offers fun activities throughout the year.

FAMILY FUN

Experience another world

Kids and adults of all ages can enjoy summer fun Caribbean-style at Splash Island in Plainfield. Float on the winding river, ride down three 2.5-story waterslides, jump through spray jets in Castaway Bay, build a sand castle and splash in the whirlpool. At The Indianapolis **Zoo**, you'll meet animals that live in forests, oceans, deserts and plains around the world. Feed a giraffe, watch the dolphin show and help bathe an elephant. Enter Dinosphere at The Children's Museum of Indianapolis to experience life as a dinosaur in the Cretaceous period and go on a dinosaur dig. Then, become an archeologist and discover Treasures of the Earth, the museum's newest exhibit, sponsored by National Geographic.



OUTDOOR RECREATION

Get in the game

Attending a race at the **Indianapolis Motor** Speedway, home of the Indianapolis 500®, provides heart-pounding entertainment. Tour the track's Hall of Fame Museum or play a round at the Brickyard Crossing Golf **Course** next door, designed by local great and world-renowned golfer and course designer Pete Dye. Rev up for some drag racing at Lucas Oil Raceway at Indianapolis, home to the world's most prestigious drag race, the NHRA Mac Tools U.S. Nationals. Tour state-of-the-art Lucas Oil **Stadium** to see behind the scenes, check out its retractable roof and photograph the beautiful view of downtown Indianapolis. Better yet, take in an Indianapolis Colts game or one of the many other sporting and music events at the stadium.



MORE WAYS TO RESTART YOUR ENGINES



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INDIANA LIVE! CASINO Shelbyville see pg. 76



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Brown County State Park Nashville, IN (877) 265-6343



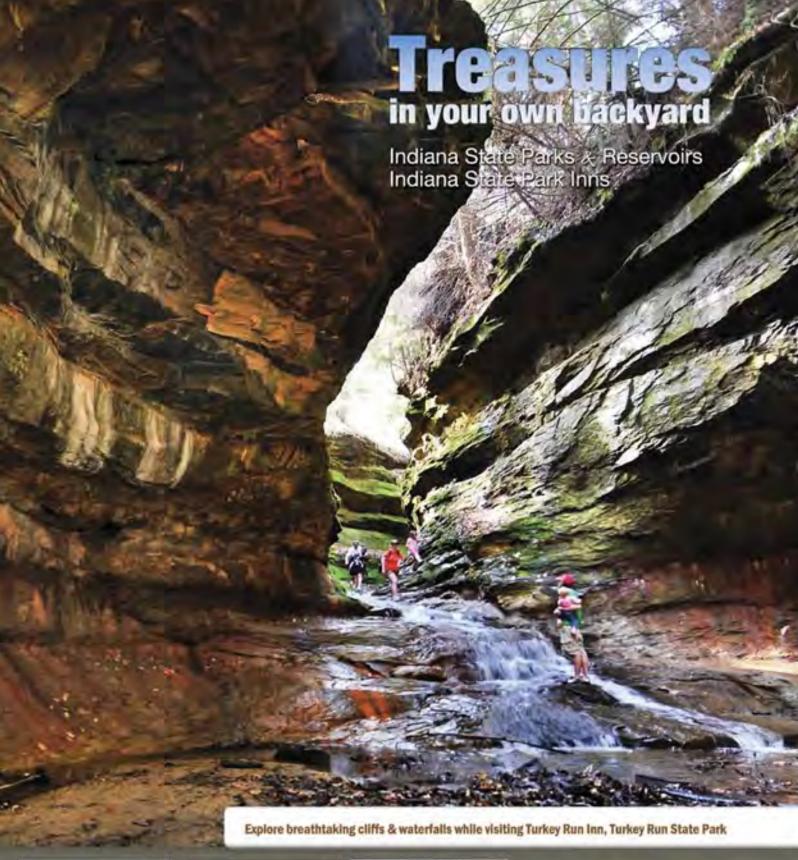
McCormick's Creek State Park Spencer, IN (877) 922-6966



Clifty Falls State Park Madison, IN (877) 925-4389



Fort Harrison State Park Indianapolis, IN (877) 937-3678





Pokagon State Park Angola, IN (877) 768-2928



Spring Mill State Park Mitchell, IN (877) 977-7464



Turkey Run State Park Marshall, IN (877) 500-6151 *All locations have full-service dining, banquet-wedding-conference facilities, gift shops, free Wi-Fi and activity areas.

















SCIENCE AND CULTURE INDIANAPOLIS

Indiana State Museum 650 W Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46204 317.232.1637 • indianamuseum.org

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Photos left to right: Indiana State Museum: Amazing Maize "Corn God"







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INDIANA EXPERIENCE™

Discover A New Way to Live History! Step into historic photographs and travel back in time to meet ordinary Hoosiers who lived extraordinary lives. Choose journeys into the past and explore thousands of interactive images from around the state. See, feel and touch history through innovative technology and first-person interpretation. Visit us on the canal in downtown Indianapolis.

Photos left to right: Destination Indiana interactive journey finder; Eugene & Marilyn Glick Indiana **History Center**



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Photos left to right: World's Largest Children's Museum; Carousel Wishes and Dreams





ELEVATE YOUR GETAWAY!



Indianapolis Convention & Visitors Association 200 S Capitol Ave., Ste. 300 Indianapolis, IN 46225 800.323.4639

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You might know that Indianapolis hosts the largest single-day sporting event in the world and that our zoo is ranked Top 10 nationally. You might even know that our legendary children's museum is the world's largest. But did you know that there are over 200 restaurants, Circle Centre mall and the beautiful Central Canal within walking distance once you're downtown? Discover your Indianapolis getaway at visitIndy.com.

Photos left to right: Rathskeller Biergarten; The Central Canal









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Photos left to right: October's annual Riley Festival; James Whitcomb Riley Home Museum



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Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art 500 W Washington St., Indianapolis, IN 46204 317.636.9378 • eiteljorg.org







Indianapolis Zoo 1200 W Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46222 317.630.2001 • indianapoliszoo.com

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INDIANAPOLIS ZOO A Leader in Conservation

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Photos left to right: By Doug McSchooler and Gabi Moore









Hendricks County Convention and Visitors Bureau 8 W Main St. Danville, IN 46122 800.321.9666 TourHendricksCounty.com

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COME STAY AND PLAY

Just minutes west of Indianapolis Come, Stay and Play in Hendricks County. Along the Rural Routes to Main Street Cultural Trail everything from quaint little shops to nature trails await your arrival. A comfortable place to stay, fantastic dining choices, revved-up motorsports, cultural activities and fun for the entire family!

Photos left to right: Local artisan product on Trail; US Nationals Labor Day Weekend



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317.492.6784

indianapolismotorspeedway.com

HALL OF FAME MUSEUM

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Photos clockwise from left: Unique glasswork Indiana's known for, Photo by Mercedes Brugh / Frozen Music; Exceptional designs by a grade-school teacher, Photo by Carol Burt / Burt Pottery; Artisanal work from Indiana grains, Photo by Stuart Hobson / Indiana Vodka



■ REGIONWIDE

Information

Indiana Foodways Alliance

The Alliance identifies and nurtures Indiana's varied community culinary heritages through education, partnerships, public relations and regional co-op. 317.853.4944. indianafoodways.com &

Attractions

Indiana Artisan

Look for the Indiana Artisan seal on select art, craft and food from the Hoosier State. It recognizes the work of the state's best craftspeople. 317.607.8715. IndianaArtisan.org

ATLANTA

Festivals

Atlanta New Earth Festival 🖈

Sep. 22-23, 2012; Sep. 28-29, 2013 Downtown 38th annual event with more than 600 vendors downtown. Juried art show, crafts, antiques, food and entertainment. Hours vary. 765.292.2626. atlantaindiana.com &

Shopping

Lisa's Pie Shop 5995 S US 31

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AVON

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119 Angelina Way 73 room/suite hotel with 42 double queen rooms, 37 suites with separate sleeping area. Complimentary breakfast, 24-hour business and fitness center, indoor pool/spa. 317.271.9200. marriott.com/indav & 🙉

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Lodging

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CARMEL

Information

Hamilton County

Convention and Visitors Bureau

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Attractions

Carmel Arts & Design District

Main St. and Range Line Rd. Galleries, specialty shops, boutiques, eateries and more! A full schedule of events, festivals and gallery walks occur throughout the year. Hours vary. 317.571.2787. CarmelArtsAndDesign.com &

Carmel Farmers Market

5 Center Green

One of the largest farmers markets in Indiana. Only Indiana grown/ produced edible products along with plants and cut flowers. Open mid-May through Oct. Sat. 8am-11:30am. 317.710.0162. carmelfarmersmarket.com &

The Center for the Performing Arts

355 City Center Dr.

Featuring three state-of-the-art venues, the Center has quickly become a destination for the world's top performers in music, theater, dance and more. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 317.843.3800. thecenterfortheperformingarts.org & 🖨

Laser Flash

617 Third Ave. SW Indiana's largest and best laser tag center plus a huge arcade and Noble Roman's pizza. Hours vary. 317.571.1677. laser-flash.com & ■

Monon Community Center

1235 Central Park Dr. E A recreation facility featuring a fitness center, indoor aquatics, water park, banquet and meeting rooms, recreation programs, outdoor walking trails. Adm. chg. Mon.-Fri. 5am-10pm; Sat. 7am-8pm; Sun. 9am-8pm.

317.848.7275. carmelclayparks.com & 🖨

The Museum of Miniature Houses & Other Collections, Inc. fine

111 E Main St.

A museum of fine arts in miniature! Exhibiting dollhouses, roomboxes, vignettes and accessories, traveling exhibits and special collections. Adm. chg. Feb.-Dec. Wed.-Sat. 11am-4pm; Sun. 1pm-4pm. 317.575.9466. museumofminiatures.org & 🖨

Lodging

Hampton Inn Carmel 🖦

12197 N Meridian St. Located three miles north of I-465 on US 31. Multiple restaurants within walking distance. Ritz Charles and Conner Prairie nearby. 317.843.1100. hamptoncarmel.com & R Wi-Fi

Hilton Garden Inn

13090 Pennsylvania Service with a smile. Restaurant/bar, evening room service. Guest rooms feature Garden Sleep System bed, refrigerator, microwave, complimentary high speed internet. 317.581.9400. indianapoliscarmel.gardeninn.com & (m)

Renaissance Indianapolis North Hotel 🕮

11925 N Meridian St. Full-service hotel. Indulge in distinctive style, savvy service, expressive decor and our chic and savory Grill 39 restaurant and lounge. 317.816.0777. renaissanceindianapolis.com &

Festivals

CarmelFest ★

Jul. 3-4, 2012; Jul. 3-4, 2013 Carmel City Square

CarmelFest is one of Indiana's largest community Fourth of July celebrations. Parade, fireworks, entertainment, great food, arts, crafts, exhibits. Hours vary. 317.574.1363. carmelfest.net &

Restaurants

Mickey's Irish Pub

13644 N Meridian St. Great food, great music. Pool tables, dance floor, live bands every weekend. Reservations accepted. Banquet facilities. Sun.-Thu. 11am-2am; Fri.-Sat. 11am-3am. 317.573.9746. mickeysirishpub.com &

Shopping Clay Terrace

14390 Clay Terrace Blvd. Clay Terrace is Indiana's first outdoor lifestyle center and home to more than 70 local boutiques and national retailers. Mon.-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sun. 11am-5pm. 317.818.0725. clayterrace.com &

Simply Sweet Shoppe

30 N Rangeline Rd. In Carmel Arts & Design District. Chocolates, retro candy, gummies, baked goods, coffee, lattes, hot chocolate, gelato, gifts and more! Hours vary. 317.818.9866. simplysweetshoppe.com

Village Park Plaza

2001 E Greyhound Pass Located in Carmel, this power house center features WalMart, Marsh, Kohl's, Hobby Lobby, Bed Bath and Beyond and an amazing lineup of restaurants. Hours vary. simon.com &

CICERO

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DANVILLE

Information

Hendricks County Convention and Visitors Bureau

8 W Main St. Come stay and play in Hendricks County – just minutes west of Indianapolis. Culture, motorsports, family fun, recreation and more. Very affordable! Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. Closed

major holidays. 800.321.9666. TourHendricksCounty.com ₺ 🖨

Attractions

Rural Routes to Main Street

8 W Main St. A self-paced, self-directed driving tour exploring art studios, galleries, locally produced goods and other creative spaces in west central Indiana. Thu.-Sat. 11am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 800.321.9666. RuralRoutestoMainStreet.com & 🖨

LEGEND

- Association of Indiana Museums
- Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association
- Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association
- Indiana State Festival Association
- Indiana Restaurant Association
- Indiana Wine Grape Council
- Main Street Community
- Ġ Accessible
- Groups Welcome
- Indoor Pool Outdoor Pool
- Pets Allowed



Festivals

Heartland Apple Festival ★ Oct. 6-7, Oct. 13-14, 2012; Oct. 5-6, Oct. 12-13, 2013 Beasley Orchard, 2304 E Main St. A fun-filled family event featuring havrides to the pumpkin patch, an eight-acre cornfield maze, entertainment and plenty of great food. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 317.745.4876.

■ FISHERS

Attractions

Conner Prairie Interactive

beasleys-orchard.com & 🖨

History Park

13400 Allisonville Rd. Discover what it was like to live and play in Indiana's past. Fly in 1859 Balloon Voyage, adventure through 1863 Civil War Journey and meet farm animals. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.966.1836. connerprairie.org ₺ 🖨

Pinheads

13825 Britton Park Rd. Bowling, wings, bar, family entertainment, suites, fun games, patio, pizza, music and sports. Hours vary. 317.773.9988. bowlatpinheads.com & 🖨

Lodging

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Holiday Inn Express Indianapolis Northeast/Fishers

9790 N by NE Blvd. Free hot breakfast buffet. Free internet, outdoor pool, fitness center, evening room service, Jacuzzi suites available. In-room coffeemakers. 317.578.2000. hiexpress.com/ind-fishers

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Festivals

Fishers Renaissance Faire

Oct. 6-7, 2012; Oct. 5-6, 2013 Saxony, 134th St. and Olio Rd. Live entertainment for the whole family. Jousting, armed combat demonstrations, shopping, food and drink, music, dancing, magic, history, fantasy theater. Adm. chg. 10am-6pm daily, rain or shine. fishersrenfaire.com & 🖨

Restaurants

Peterson's

7690 E 96th St.

Peterson's features USDA Prime beef, fresh seafood flown in daily and an expansive wine list to complement any palate. Mon.-Thu. 5pm-9:30pm; Fri.-Sat. 5pm-10:30pm. 317.598.8863. petersonsrestaurant.com &

■ FRANKLIN 統

Attractions

The Historic Artcraft Theatre

57 N Main St. Classic movies every other Fri. and Sat., 2 and 7:30pm, in a 1922 theater. Located 20 minutes south of Indy off I-65. Family-friendly, rentals available. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 317.736.6823. historicartcrafttheatre.org & 🖨

Johnson County Museum of History 🏛

135 N Main St. The Johnson County Museum features family-friendly exhibits – Civil War, pioneer history, special gallery presentations and a genealogy library. Tue.-Fri. 9am-4pm; Sat. 10am-3pm. Closed major holidays. 317.346.4500. johnsoncountymuseum.org &

Lodging Ashley-Drake Historic Inn and Gardens

668 E Jefferson St. 1895 Victorian B&B with private baths, gardens/koi ponds, trails. Walk to nearby shops, eateries, college, theater, museum. Drive to malls, Nashville, Indianapolis. 317.736.0199. AshleyDrakeInn.com Wi-Fi 🖨

Festivals

Indiana Masonic Home Festival Sep. 9, 2012; 2013 dates TBD 690 State St.

Annual event for the whole family with food, entertainment, arts and crafts. Children's fun area and parade. Opening ceremonies 11am. Hours vary. 317.736.6141.

indianamasonichome.org &

GREENFIELD

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Information

Hancock County Visitors Bureau 122 W Main St.

Information about antiques, museums, lodging, restaurants, parks and recreation facilities, entertainment and the restored HJ Ricks Centre for the Arts. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm, Sat.-Sun. Hours vary. 866.384.8687. visithancockcounty.com

Attractions

Hancock County Veterans Park Corner of State St. and South St.

A breathtaking display of bronze sculptures and laser etched granite panels depicting all military branches. A truly patriotic and emotional experience. Open 24/7. 317.462.6122. hcvet.org ♣ 🖨

James Whitcomb Riley Old Home and Museum 🏛

250 W Main St. Visit the boyhood home of the "Hoosier Poet," James Whitcomb Riley. See where "Little Orphant Annie" came to stay. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Tue.-Sat. 11am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 317.462.8539. jwrileyhome.org & 🖨

Tuttle Orchard

5717 N 300 W

Fourth generation orchard and awardwinning produce. Year-round store. Fall U-pick, activities and festival. Tours by appointment. Mon.-Sat. 10am-6pm. 317.326.2278. tuttleorchards.com & 🖴

Lodging

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Festivals

Pennsy Trail Art Fair &

Music Festival ★
Jun. 30, 2012; Jun. 29, 2013 Historic Pennsy Trail, Downtown Quality art fair. Live music and other entertainment. Family-friendly event. Great food, BBQ, wine, beer. Great summer activity! Hours vary. 317.462.2877. pennsytrailartfair.com &

Riley Festival ★ Oct. 4-7, 2012; Oct. 3-6, 2013 Downtown, US 40 and SR 9 465 booths with arts, crafts, food and flea market. Home arts, quilts, fine arts, photography. Shows, parades, entertainment, living history and Riley Fun Zone for kids. Hours vary. 317.462.2141. rileyfestival.com & 🖨

■ GREENWOOD 統

Information

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Lodging

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■ INDIANAPOLIS 統

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Indianapolis Convention & Visitors Association

200 S Capitol Ave., Ste. 300 For visitor assistance, hotel reservations and travel assistance. Visitors' Centers at White River State Park and Indianapolis Artsgarden. Hours vary. 800.323.4639. visitIndy.com &

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Attractions

100 Acres: The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park 4000 Michigan Rd.

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The Children's Museum of Indianapolis 🏛

3000 N Meridian St.
Just minutes from downtown
Indianapolis, explore five levels of
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largest children's museum. Adm.
chg. Hours vary. 800.208.KIDS.
ChildrensMuseum.org & ⊜

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Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art ⋒

500 W Washington St. Immerse yourself in the stories of the West and Native America. Experience art, history and cultures through expansive exhibits and dynamic programs. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. 317.636.9378. eiteljorg.org & 🖨

Eugene and Marilyn Glick Indiana History Center \$\mathref{m}\$ 450 W Ohio St.

Indiana Experience - Step into historic photographs, journey to the past in a time machine, meet ordinary Hoosiers with extraordinary stories. Adm. chg. Tue.-Sat. 10am-5pm. 317.232.1882. indianahistory.org &

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45 Monument Circle
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River Gardens features an indoor
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chg. Hours vary. 317.630.2001.
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Recreation

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Festivals

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■ LEBANON 統

Information

Boone County Convention & Visitors Bureau

101 E Main St. Open Mon.-Fri. with information on events, attractions, shops and museums in Zionsville Village, Thorntown and Jamestown. Hours vary. 765.484.8572. BooneCVB.com &

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■ MARTINSVILLE 統

Attractions

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■ NOBLESVILLE 熱

Attractions

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Forest Park, 701 Cicero Rd. Offers excursions and programs emphasizing the historical importance of Indiana railroads. Special occasion trains, charters and school tours. Adm. chg. May-Oct. Sat. 9:30am-5pm; Sun. 10:30am-4pm. 317.773.6000. itm.org 🖨

Noblesville Preservation Alliance Historic Noblesville

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9pm. 317.839.7665. townofplainfield.com & 🖨

■ SHELBYVILLE 統

Information

Shelby County Tourism

501 N Harrison St. It's all about Shelby County! The historic Porter Visitors Center offers brochures, maps, festival information and walking and driving tours. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 317.398.9623.

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■ SHERIDAN 秋

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ZIONSVILLE

Information

Zionsville Chamber of Commerce

135 S Elm St. A visit to Zionsville's brick street offers unique dining, upscale shopping and quaint Victorian homes. Mon.-Fri. 10am-3pm. 317.873.3836. zionsvillechamber.org &

Attractions

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317.733.1650. carterstoymuseum.com &

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Shopping

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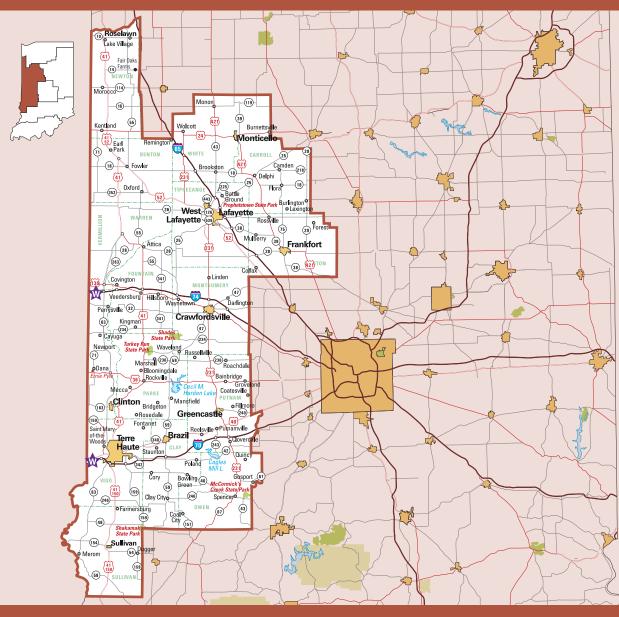
Classic delights define Western Indiana.

The comforting flavors of homegrown foods, exciting celebrations of Hoosier heritage, and contemporary music and art welcome you to the region.









Bistro 501, Lafayette; Flame of the Millennium, Terre Haute; Exploration Acres, Lafayette Flame of the Millennium courtesy of Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology; Exploration Acres photo by Gail Seest





ARTS AND CULTURE Observe, reflect, sing

Modern sculptures are waiting to be discovered in Terre Haute. The innovative **Art Spaces Outdoor Sculpture Collection** is composed of public art pieces like Flame of the Millennium. Its shining contours reflect the dancing colors and patterns of the surrounding water. Experience serenity on the woodland campus of **Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College**, near West Terre Haute. Take an architectural tour of Italian Renaissance buildings, visit the Heritage Museum to see historic relics of the Sisters of Providence and journey through the labyrinth in Sacred Heart Grove. Delight the family with tickets to the **Myers Dinner Theatre** in Hillsboro. Enjoy a delicious home-cooked meal complete with dessert while watching a classic Broadway musical or an original show written for Myers by local Hoosier playwrights.



FAMILY FUN Make memories

Roller coasters, water slides and a haunted house will keep you laughing and screaming at Indiana Beach in Monticello. Put your hands in the air on the 10-story-high Steel Hawg coaster, float down Action River on an inner tube or plummet to the ground on Double Shot. In Lafayette, Feast of the Hunters' **Moon** lets you revisit the 1700s when the French and Native Americans traded furs at Fort Ouiatenon. Watch dances and military drills, eat traditional foods and learn to dip candles and throw tomahawks. Sandstone cliffs and shady ravines make Shades State Park in Waveland a hiker's dream. Explore the beauty of the natural landscape along Sugar Creek.

GIRLFRIEND GETAWAYS

Time to unwind

Shop and dine in Lafayette's charming **Arts and Market Downtown District**. Get creative with artwork, art supplies, beads and craft classes. Treat yourself at the chocolate shop or find the perfect treasure at an antique store. Escape to

Terre Haute to discover the history and great taste of Clabber Girl Baking Powder. Explore the Clabber Girl Museum and Bake Shop before devouring a yummy sandwich on their homemade bread. Don't miss their amazing Chocolate Thumbprint Cookies and flavorful scones! Spend time in the garden at Hobbit Gardens Earth Gathering Center in Fillmore. Learn about herbal gardening and cooking and purchase teas and skincare products made with natural, sustainably grown herbs.

LOCALLY GROWN

Fun for every season Get a taste of Rockville at the Maple Syrup Fair in February and March, where pancakes and fresh maple syrup are served all day. Tour sugar camps to see the yummy syrup being made. Be sure to take some home! Tour English's Buffalo Farm in Bainbridge. Interact with more than 70 majestic American bison and learn about buffalo farming. Take home buffalo steaks or munch on buffalo jerky from their Trading Post. Get excited about fall at Exploration Acres in Lafayette. Bravely find your way through the largest corn maze in northwest Indiana. Rummage through the pumpkin patch, laugh on a hayride and find drinks, snacks, farm-grown mums and hand-painted crafts in the General Store.



DESTINATION RESTAURANTS/ LODGING Famous flavors

The ultimate burgers and fries can be found at Triple XXX Family Restaurant in West Lafayette. They've been serving their famous 100 percent sirloin burgers, handdipped ice cream and Original Triple XXX Root Beer at their drive-in since 1929. On Lafayette's historic Main Street, Bistro 501 transports you to the French countryside with provincial flavors and international wines. Enjoy sidewalk seating during the summer as you savor French Farm House Pâté, Goat Cheese Salad and Filet Mignon. Classic American cuisine of world-class quality is on the menu at J. Ford's Black Angus in Terre Haute. Dig into a juicy steak grilled to perfection or order one of Chef Ford's Nightly Chef Creations, off-menu gourmet surprises.



MORE WAYS TO RESTART YOUR ENGINES



COVERED BRIDGES
Parke & Putnam Counties
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FAIR OAKS FARMS AND CHEESE FACTORY Fair Oaks See pg. 87



TERRE HAUTE
CHILDREN'S MUSEUM
Terre Haute
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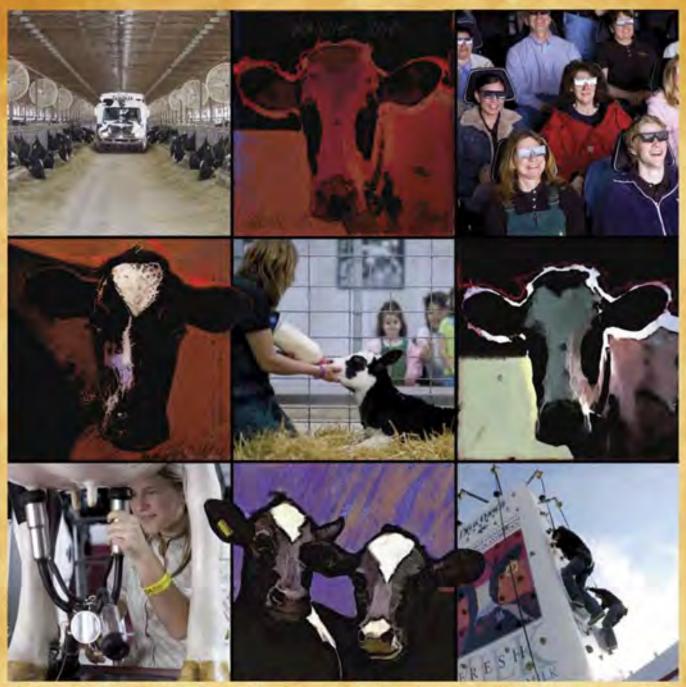
WABASH ERIE CANAL BOAT EXCURSION Delphi see pg. 87



WOLF PARK Battle Ground see pg. 88

Boat excursion photo by Craig Sorenson





BUS TOURS, BIRTHING BARN, 3D/4D MOVIE, INTERACTIVE AREA, MOOVILLE, THE GREEN GATE GARDEN, CHEESE & ICE CREAM

FAIR OAKS



856 N 600 E, FAIR OAKS, INDIANA 47943 (CONVENIENTLY LOCATED OFF 1-65, EXIT 220)









LEARNING THAT'S FUN, TOO



Terre Haute Convention & Visitors Bureau 5353 E Margaret Dr. Terre Haute, IN 47803

800.366.3043

terrehaute.com

The new Terre Haute Children's Museum is 26,000 square feet and three floors of fun and learning! Climb the centerpiece tree to the second-floor treehouse. Milk a pretend cow, play in the water center, watch a real beehive and much more. For lessons in faith, history and eco-justice, visit the Sisters of Providence at Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, where Saint Mother Theodre Guerin lived and worked in the 1800s.

Photos left to right: Terre Haute Children's Museum Treehouse; Saint Mother Theodore Guerin Statue





YOU ARE INN vited



877.LODGES1 Indianalnns.com The Indiana State Park Inns invite you to STAY in our INNS and PLAY in our PARKS. Turkey Run Inn at Turkey Run State Park and Canyon Inn in McCormick's Creek State Park both offer modern amenities, dining rooms and free Wi-Fi. During the day guests can explore the scenic beauty of the park, while at night our rustic lobbies and cozy rooms will make them feel at home.

Photos left to right: Turkey Run Inn; Canyon Inn









FABULOUS FESTIVALS OF THE WEST

Enjoy Indiana's Festival Fun and Food



Indiana State Festivals Association 700 Walton St. Rockville, IN 47872 765.569.3650 IndianaFestivals.org

Indiana hosts festivals in every corner and county in the state. In the west region of Indiana, festivals are unforgettable! For more festival information, visit IndianaFestivals.org or email info@indianafestivals.org.

Banks of the Wabash Festival, Terre Haute	May 24-Jun. 6
Merom Bluff Chautauqua, Merom	Jun. 1-3
Strawberry Festival, Crawfordsville	Jun. 8-10
Frankfort Hot Dog Festival	Jul. 27-28
Little Italy Festival, Clinton	Sep. 1-4
Potawatomi Festival, Attica	Sep. 14-16
Feast of the Hunters' Moon, West Lafayette	Sep. 22-23
Newport Antique Auto Hill Climb	Oct. 5-7
Popcorn Festival of Clay County, Brazil	Oct. 5-7
Parke County Covered Bridge Festival	Oct. 12-21

Photos clockwise from left: Newport Antique Auto Hill Climb; Cox Ford Covered Bridge, Janean DePlanty Photography at Gobblers Knob; Feast of the Hunters' Moon



■ REGIONWIDE

Information

Indiana Foodways Alliance

The Alliance identifies and nurtures Indiana's varied community culinary heritages through education, partnerships, public relations and regional co-op. 317.853.4944. indianafoodways.com &

Attractions

Indiana Artisan

Look for the Indiana Artisan seal on select art, craft and food from the Hoosier State. It recognizes the work of the state's best craftspeople. 317.607.8715. IndianaArtisan.org

■ BROOKSTON

Festivals

Brookston Apple-Popcorn Festival Sep. 15, 2012; Sep. 14, 2013 Downtown

Pancake and sausage breakfast, family entertainment, 5k, 10k and fun run, apple-bobbing, Big Wheel race, nail driving, prince and princess contest. Hours vary. 765.563.1022. applepopcornfestival.org &

BURNETTSVILLE

Festivals

Burnettsville Community Day Sep. 22, 2012; Sep. 28, 2013 Bee-Hive Community Center, corner of 6th and Logan St. Fireman breakfast, Bee Bumble 5k and 10k run/walk, garage sales, car show, kids' contest, square dance, antique tractor pull, parade begins at 2pm. Hours vary. 800.552.2446. beebumble5k.org &

CLINTON

Festivals

Little Italy Festival Aug. 31-Sep. 3, 2012; Aug. 30-Sep. 2, 2013 Water St. and 9th St. Old-world flavor of foods and entertainment on the banks of the Wabash. Continuous entertainment, bocce tournaments and a lively wine garden. Hours vary. 765.832.7254. Littleitalyfestival.org &

■ CLOVERDALE 秋

For Camping see page 91

Lodging Days Inn

1031 N Main St. Sixty rooms, free breakfast, trucker, AAA, AARP rates. Free cable, free high-speed internet, meeting facilities. 765.795.6400. daysinn.com & **★**

Econo Lodge

1010 N Main St.

Fifty rooms, pet services, fax/copy, truck parking, microwave/refrigerators in rooms. Basic cable, color TV. Free breakfast. 765.795.6900. choicehotels.com & # 🖨

Holiday Inn Express

1017 N Main St.

Sixty rooms, free continental breakfast bar, indoor pool and hot tub. Meeting facilities, Jacuzzi suites, cable TV, data ports, interior corridors. 765.795.5050. ichotelsgroup.com &

Motel 6

924 N Main St.

Forty rooms, interior corridors. Large truck parking, free morning coffee. Kids 17 and under stay free. Hot tub rooms. Free local calls. 765.795.3000. motel6.com & Wi-Fi

Super 8 Motel

1020 N Main St.

Free continental breakfast, microwave and refrigerator in-room, suites, indoor heated pool. Large truck parking, coin operated laundry, interior corridor. 765.795.7373. super8.com & Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Lieber State Recreation Area at Cagles Mill Lake

1317 W Lieber Rd., Ste. 1 Family aquatic center, hiking, picnicking, fishing and hunting in season. Marina with mooring and supplies on-site. Visitors center with programs. Adm. chg. 765.795.4576. stateparks.IN.gov ₺ 🖨

COLFAX

Lodging

Cabins and Candlelight 🗷 7295 N 1100 E

Secluded romantic retreat for couples featuring luxurious log cabins with whirlpool bathtubs, fireplaces, screened decks, full kitchens. 800.864.6717. CabinsandCandlelight.com

■ CRAWFORDSVILLE 救

Information

Montgomery County Visitor & Convention Bureau

218 E Pike St.

Cultivate creativity by visiting historic museums, enjoy exploring numerous outdoor activities, unique shops, art studios and delicious wine tasting. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.866.3973. crawfordsville.org &

Attractions

Carnegie Museum of **Montgomery County**

222 S Washington St. Indiana's first Carnegie Library to open. This interdisciplinary museum features six galleries and rotating exhibits of history, science and art. Mar.-Dec. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.362.4618. cdpl.lib.in.us/carnegie &

Coal Creek Cellars Winery

3573 W US Hwy. 136

Winery and tasting room, specializing in fine dry wines, located in a restored vintage barn. Observation deck overlooking a small vineyard and woods. Fri.-Sun. Noon-6pm. Closed major holidays. 765.362.3634. &

General Lew Wallace Study & Museum 🏛

200 Wallace Ave. Designed by the Civil War General who achieved international fame through his novel Ben-Hur, the Study showcases history in action. Adm. chg. Feb.-Dec.

Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.362.5769. ben-hur.com ₺ 🖨

Lane Place 🏛

212 S Water St.

Home of Senator Henry Lane, founder of the Indiana Republican Party. Built in 1845, this restored mansion houses original furnishings. Adm. chg. Mar.-Dec. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.362.3416. lane-mchs.org

Ropkey Armor Museum 5649 E 150 N

Displays a large collection of historical armored and soft-skinned vehicles and vintage aircraft from World War I through Desert Storm. Mar.-Dec. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.794.0238. ropkeyarmormuseum.com &

Rotary Jail Museum 1 225 N Washington St.
The only known working jail with a circular cell block that turns 360 degrees. Sheriff's residence houses local art. Adm. chg. Mar.-Dec.Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.362.5222. rotaryjailmuseum.org &

Festivals

Strawberry Festival

Jun. 8-10, 2012; Jun. 14-16, 2013 212 S Water St.

Live entertainment, homemade arts and crafts, strawberry treats, children's activities, tennis and softball tournaments, antique tractors, car show on Sun. Hours vary. 800.866.3973. thestrawberryfestival.com &

Taste of Montgomery County ★

Aug. 25, 2012; Aug. 24, 2013 General Lew Wallace Study & Museum, 200 Wallace Ave.

The Taste is a symphony of live music and a festival of regional flavors that represent the best restaurants and caterers of west-central Indiana. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.362.5769. tasteofmontgomerycounty.com &

Shopping

Arts & Antiques

Downtown

Create an unforgettable experience by exploring art studios, antique shops and local dining. Cultivate your horizons with a play at the Vanity Theater. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.866.3973. crawfordsville.org &

■ DELPHI 熱

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Information

Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

119 W Franklin St., 3rd Floor Explore our rich heritage and rural beauty. Visit our antique shops, art galleries, museums, waterways, parks. Hiking, biking, driving trails. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 866.374.6813. carrollcountychamber.com

Attractions

Wabash & Erie Canal Park fin

1030 N Washington St. Discover Indiana history that you won't find anywhere else through our interpretive center, boat tours, pioneer village and trails! Camp, bike, hike. No adm. chg. Sun.-Fri. 1pm-4pm; Sat. 10am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 765.564.2870. wabashanderiecanal.org & 🖨

■ FAIR OAKS

Attractions

Fair Oaks Farms

856 N 600 E

Family-owned dairy farm with cafe, bus tour, kids fun zone, birthing barn, dairy adventure center and cheese shop. Cafe and gift shop open yearround. Adm. chg. Jan.-Nov. Mon.-Sat. 9am-5pm; Sun. 10am-5pm. 877.536.1194. fofarms.com & ■

Restaurants

Fair Oaks Cheese Factory

864 N 600 E

A high-tech facility with a down-home feel. Our ice cream parlor, gift shop and cafe overlook our cheese-making and milk-bottling facilities. Mon.-Sun. 7am-6pm. 877.536.1193. fofarms.com & 🖨

LEGEND

Association of Indiana Museums

Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association

Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association

Indiana State Festival Association

Indiana Restaurant Association

Indiana Wine Grape Council

Main Street Community

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Groups Welcome

Indoor Pool

Outdoor Pool

Pets Allowed



■ FOWLER

Attractions

Benton County Wind Farm Tours brought to you by Benton County **Economic Development**

706 E 5th St., Ste. 11 Come take a tour of Indiana's first wind farm and visit the home of the single largest concentrated wind farm in the U.S. Tours by appointment only. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.884.2080. bentoncounty.in.gov & 🖨

■ FRANKFORT 統

Recreation

Camp Cullom and Prairie Grass Observatory

6815 W CR 200 N Enjoy a large stand of prairie grass, disc golf, nature center, hiking trails, astronomical observatory, abundant wildlife and more. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.296.2753. campcullom.com &

■ GREENCASTLE

Information

Putnam County Convention & Visitor Bureau

12 W Washington St. Visitor attraction brochures, restaurant info, county maps available. Motorcoach tours and itineraries. Nine covered bridges await your visit. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 800.829.4639. coveredbridgecountry.com

Lodging

Birdsong Bed & Breakfast 1172 W CR 200 S

Private apartment with own entrance and courtyard nestled at the edge of town amidst seven acres of woods and wildlife. Close to DePauw University. 765.653.6739.

birdsongatgreencastle.com

College Inn

315 Bloomington St. Twenty-one rooms, king and queen beds, direct dial phone, refrigerator, microwave, 25" color TV. Close to DePauw campus, city park and shopping. 765.653.4167.

Dixie Chopper Air, Hotel & **Conference Center**

102 Ballard Ln.

Twelve elegant rooms with kitchen and serving facilities, satellite TV, internet access. Breakfast, lunch and dinner available. 765.655.1658. dixiechopperair.com 🖨

Greencastle Inn

1233 S Bloomington St. Fifteen rooms, outside corridor, double beds, close to downtown and DePauw campus. Microwaves, refrigerators, cable TV. Clean rooms, affordable rates. 765.653.8424.

The Inn at DePauw & Event Center

2 Seminary Square

2 West Bistro, Fluttering Duck Bar and Grill, social center, 55 rooms, luggage handling, suites available. Hospitality area, conference rooms. 800.225.8655. theinnatdepauw.com & ★ Wi-Fi 🖨

■ LAFAYETTE -WEST LAFAYETTE 秋

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Information

Indiana Wine Grape Council 🦠

745 Agriculture Mall Dr., West Lafayette

Discover Indiana's award-winning wineries! Enjoy special events, tours, festivals and wine tastings. Taste the experience of Indiana wine. Hours vary. 800.832.9463. indianawines.org &

Lafayette Limo

2525 Klondike Rd., West Lafayette Daily shuttle from West Lafayette, Lafayette, Purdue to Indianapolis Airport. Mini bus charters, luxury limousines. Anywhere, anytime. Call for info. Hours vary. 765.497.3828. LafayetteLimo.com & 🖨

Lafayette - West Lafayette CVB

301 Frontage Rd., Lafayette Visitor center, lodging availability, brochures, maps, events. Meeting, convention and sporting event planning, group tours, itineraries and packages. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat. 10am-4pm; Sun. Noon-4pm. 765.447.9999. HomeOfPurdue.com &

Attractions

Art Museum of Greater Lafayette

102 S Tenth St., Lafayette Frequently changing exhibitions feature works from the permanent collection, local, regional and national artists. The one preatures area artists. Hours vary. 765.742.1128. artlafayette.org & ⊜ gift shop features area artists. Hours

Columbian Park Zoo

1915 Scott St., Lafayette Home to over 190 animals representing nearly 90 different species. Variety of educational programs teaching appreciation for the world's wildlife. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.807.1540. columbianparkzoo.org 🕭 🖨

Downtown

Unique shopping, art galleries, outdoor art, museums, vibrant nightlife, exciting festivals, urban trail along river, great dining and accommodations. Hours vary. 800.872.6648. ReadySetGoDowntown.com & 🖨

Exploration Acres

6042 Newcastle Rd., Lafayette NW Indiana's largest corn maze. Enjoy the pumpkin patch, gem mine, hayrides, corn cannon and fun family activities. Open weekends from late Aug.-Oct. Adm. chg. Aug.-Oct. Fri. 6pm-11pm; Sat. 10am-11pm, Sun. Noon-7pm. 765.296.2863. explorationacres.com ■

Historic Prophetstown

3549 Prophetstown Trail, Battle Ground Dedicated to showing, sharing and teaching about agriculture and horse powered farming. Native American settlement and farmstead. Valuable lessons uncovered. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 8am-5pm. 765.567.4700. prophetstown.org & 🖨

Purdue University

West Lafayette

Sporting events, music and theater groups providing entertainment, art galleries showcasing varied exhibits, fountains, park-like areas and tours. Hours vary. 765.872.6648. purdue.edu 🕹 🖨

Tippecanoe Battlefield Museum & Park

200 Battle Ground Ave., Battle Ground National historic landmark where the Battle of Tippecanoe occurred in 1811. The park includes nature center, trail, picnic areas, museum with exhibits. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.567.2147. tippecanoehistory.org & 🖨

Wolf Park

4004 E 800 N, Battle Ground Enjoy a howl with wolves at this nonprofit educational wildlife facility. See and learn about wolves, coyotes, fox and bison. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.567.2265. wolfpark.org 🕹 🖨

Lodging Comfort Suites-Lafayette

31 Frontage Rd., Lafayette Close to attractions like Purdue University, Indiana Beach, McAllister Park and the Tippecanoe Battlefield. 765.447.0016. choicehotels.com/hotel/in410

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Hampton Inn-Lafayette 🕮

3941 SR 26 E, Lafayette Conveniently located near Purdue University, area attractions, shopping, golf and restaurants. 765.447.1600. lafayettein.hamptoninn.com & 🏟 Wi-Fi 🖨

Homewood Suites-Lafayette 🕮

3939 SR 26 E, Lafayette Luxurious suites convenient to Purdue University, shopping, golfing and area attractions. Features fully equipped kitchens and separate living rooms. 765.448.9700.

lafayette.homewoodsuites.com & •▲ Wi-Fi

Union Club Hotel

101 N Grant St., West Lafayette Located on the campus of Purdue University, adjoining the Purdue Memorial Union. A unique blend of classic and modern elegance. Open to the public. 765.494.8900. hotel.purdue.edu & Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Celery Bog Nature Area

1620 Lindberg Rd., West Lafayette Trails, unique wetlands area, unusual plants, birds and small mammal viewing. Lilly Nature Center provides educational programs. Wed.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-5pm. Closed Christmas-New Year's Day. 765.775.5110. westlafayette.in.gov/parks &

Prophetstown State Park 4112 E SR 225, West Lafayette Newest state park with dramatic prairie and restored wet slopes called fens. Hiking/bicycle trails, nature/ history programs. Camping and shelters available. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.567.4919. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

Riverside Skating Center

100 Tapawingo Dr., West Lafayette Outdoor rink is 70 ft. by 120 ft. and lighted for evening use. Available from fall to spring for ice skating. Adm. chg. Nov.-Mar. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 765.743.7465. westlafayette.in.gov/parks & 🖨

Stay and Play Golf Packages

Accommodations, choice of one or two rounds with cart. Some course designs by Pete Dye or Hale Irwin. Advanced registration. Guaranteed tee times. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.872.6648. homeofpurdue.com/ stayandplay.html 🖨

Trails

Hiking and biking trails galore. Explore the Wabash Heritage Trail, many paved trails throughout Lafayette and West Lafayette or bike across the county. Hours vary. 800.872.6648. HomeOfPurdue.com &

Tropicanoe Cove Outdoor Family Aquatic Center

1915 Scott St., Lafayette Lafayette's hottest place to cool off! Huge waterslide, lazy river, children's water playground, beach volleyball and more! Adm. chg. May-Sep. Mon .-Sat. 11am-6pm; Sun. Noon-6pm. 765.807.1500. lafayette.in.gov/aquatics & 🖨

Festivals

Art on the Wabash

Sep. 16, 2012; Sep. 15, 2013 Tapawingo Park, West Lafayette Artists from 15 counties show their art along the beautiful Wabash River in this juried fair. Hours vary. 800.721.2787. artonthewabash.com &

Dancing in the Streets Jul. 21, 2012; Jul. 20, 2013 Riehle Plaza and Tapawingo Park, Lafayette - West Lafayette Enjoy a classic car and motorcycle cruise, tasty food, beer and wine and two stages of live entertainment. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.742.4044. dancinginthestreets.net &



Dickens of a Christmas

Dec. 1, 2012; Dec. 7, 2013 Downtown Lafayette Carolers, farmers market, vendors, carriage rides, artisans demonstrating crafts, performances of "A Christmas Carol" and holiday lighting. Hours vary. 765.742.4044. dickensofachristmas.com &

Feast of the Hunters' Moon

Sep. 22-23, 2012 Historic Fort Ouiatenon Park, S River Rd., West Lafayette Historical reenactment of life during the 18th century. French, British and Native American trading post, food, crafts, demonstrations and music. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.476.8411. tippecanoehistory.org &

Historic Prophetstown Yearly Events

3549 Prophetstown Trail, Battle Ground Events include Plow Days, Planting Days, Hay Harvest, Wheat Harvest Country Fair and Corn Harvest. Website lists each date. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.567.4700. prophetstown.org & 🖨

Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering

Jun. 22-24, 2012; Jun. 28-30, 2013 Tippecanoe Battlefield, Battle Ground The Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering is a three-day acoustic music festival featuring the best in old-time folk, swing and Celtic music. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.742.1419. indianafiddlersgathering.org &

Mosey Down Main Street

May 12, Jun. 9, Jul. 14, Aug. 11, Sep. 1, 2012; May 11, Jun. 8, Jul. 13, Aug. 10, Sep. 7, 2013 Downtown Main St., Lafayette Three stages of music, outdoor food, beer and wine sales, street performers, sidewalk chalk, hula hoops, drum circles, belly dancers and more. Hours vary. 765.714.4844. moseydownmain.com &

'Round the Fountain Art Fair 🖈

May 26, 2012; May 25, 2013 Courthouse Square, Lafayette One of the best one-day outdoor fine art fairs in the Midwest. Features paintings, sculptures, pottery, photography, prints and jewelry. Hours vary. 765.491.6298. roundthefountain.org &

Taste of Tippecanoe ★ Jun. 16, 2012; Jun. 15, 2013 Main St., Lafayette The TASTE is the largest downtown festival in Lafayette celebrating culinary, musical, visual and abstract art. Live music and local cuisine. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.423.2787. tasteoftippecanoe.org &

Uptown Jazz and Blues ★

Aug. 25, 2012; Aug. 24, 2013 Downtown Lafayette Three stages of continuous live jazz and blues music, dancing, food, beer and wine. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.742.4044. uptownjazzandblues.com &

Wabash Riverfest 🖈

Jul. 14, 2012; Jul. 13, 2013 Tapawingo Park, West Lafayette
Free, family-friendly celebration of the Wabash River. Canoe races, food, music, educational exhibits, 5k run, children's activities and more! Hours vary. 765.474.2553 wabashriverfest.com &

Restaurants

Nine Irish Brothers

119 Howard Ave., West Lafayette Award-winning traditional Irish pub with two locations in Greater Lafayette. Full menu and bar, non-smoking, live Irish entertainment and patio dining. Mon.-Sat. 11am-1am; Sun. 11am-11pm. 765.746.4782. nineirishbrothers.com &

Route 66 Diner

US 52 W and Win Hentschel Blvd., West Lafayette Same great food as Triple XXX Family Restaurant. Garage-themed, blue plate specials, breakfast, 100% sirloin burgers, salads. Hours vary. 765.497.9466. &

Triple XXX Family Restaurant Since 1929

SR 26 W and Salisbury, West Lafayette Featured on Food Network's Diners, Drive-ins and Dives - "Burgers." Serving 100% hand-cut ground sirloin burgers, breakfast, pork BBQ and tenderloins. Hours vary. 765.743.5373. triplexxxfamilyrestaurant.com &

Shopping

Shopping Communitywide

Downtown offering eclectic mix of shops and art galleries. Large mall with 100+ shops, antiquing and numerous shopping plazas. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.872.6648. HomeOfPurdue.com ₺

Tippecanoe Mall

2415 Sagamore Pkwy. S, Lafayette Over 90 stores including Macy's, Kohl's, JC Penney, Dick's Sporting Goods and Sears. Play area, food court, Simon and retailer gift cards, wheelchairs, ATM. Mon.-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sun. Noon-6pm. 765.448.6176. tippecanoemall.com &

LINDEN

Attractions

Linden Depot Museum 520 N Main St.

Oldest junction depot in Indiana, built in 1905, includes railroad memorabilia, museum store and model railroad layout. Monthly special events. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Fri.-Sun. 1pm-5pm. 765.339.7245. lindendepot.com &

MONON

Festivals

Monon Food Fest

Jun. 2, 2012; Jun. 3, 2013 Monon Town Park Celebrating its 25th year. Live entertainment, food, crafts, car show and many more activities. Hours vary. 219.253.8241. enjoywhitecounty.com &

■ MONTICELLO

Information

Greater Monticello Chamber of Commerce & Visitor Bureau

116 N Main St Visitor center offers brochures, maps and events calendar. Family fun on Lakes Shafer and Freeman. Home of Indiana Beach. Life with a splash. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 574.583.7220. monticelloin.com &

Lodging Arbor Lights Resort

5192 E Indiana Beach Rd. Next to Indiana Beach Amusement Park. Heated pool, Jacuzzi, sun decks, piers and grills. Cottages/kitchenette suites overlooking Lake Shafer. 574.583.3437. arborlightsresort.com 🖛 🖨

Festivals

Spirit of Monticello Festival * Jul. 27-29, 2012; Jul. 26-28, 2013 Courthouse Square

The Spirit of Monticello Festival will fill the streets with family fun, live entertainment, food, art and craft vendors, car show and more. Hours vary. 574.583.1101. spiritofmonticello.org &

■ NEWPORT

Festivals

Newport Antique Auto Hill Climb Oct. 5-7, 2012; Oct. 4-6, 2013

Courthouse Square

Uphill drag race for antique cars, car auction, cruise-in, street rod and custom show, parade, fireworks, flea market, swap meet, great food. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.492.4220. newporthillclimb.com & 🖨

PARKE COUNTY

For Camping see page 57

Information

Indiana State Festivals Association

700 Walton St., Rockville Indiana's largest festivals and events nonprofit organization. Find 400 different events or festivals taking place throughout the state. Hours vary. 765.569.3650. indianafestivals.org &

Parke County Visitors Center

401 E Ohio Št., Rockville The Covered Bridge Capital of the World. History and scenery make Parke County's 31 covered bridges a must see. Free maps and visitor information. Hours vary. 765.569.5226. coveredbridges.com &

Attractions

Bridgeton Mill Est. 1823

8104 S Bridgeton Rd., Bridgeton Family-owned 188 years, not same family. Indiana's famous covered bridge and waterfall. Fresh natural flour, cornmeal, etc. Food, ice cream and more. Apr.-Nov. Mon.-Sat. 10am-6pm; Sun. 10am-5:30pm. 765.548.0106. bridgetonmill.com &

Mansfield Roller Mill

Raccoon SRA,

1588 S Raccoon Pkwy., Rockville Three-story mill constructed in 1875 on the banks of Raccoon Creek. Original milling equipment remains in place. May-Oct. Hours vary. 765.344.0741. stateparks.IN.gov &

Lodging

Turkey Run Campground

870 E SR 47, Bloomingdale Electric and primitive sites. Near Turkey Run State Park. Unique general store/ gift shop. Minnetonka moccasins, jewelry, souvenirs, camping supplies. 765.597.2029.

turkeyruncampground.com &

Turkey Run Inn at Turkey Run State Park 🕮 🍴

8102 E Park Rd., Marshall Beautiful surroundings and activities for all. Adventurous to moderate trails, canoeing, horseback riding, free Wi-Fi and gameroom. For reservations, visit Indianalnns.com or call 1.877.LODGES1. 877.500.6151.

Indianalnns.com & 🐼 Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Raccoon State Recreation Area at Cecil M. Harden Lake

1588 S. Raccoon Pkwy., Rockville Water-based activities, hiking, horseshoes, volleyball, basketball, archery, summer nature/history programs, hunting in season. Reservable camping. Seasonal admission fee. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.344.1412. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

Turkey Run State Park

8121 E. Park Rd., Marshall Incredible hiking and scenic beauty. Staffed nature center/planetarium. Swimming, fishing, tennis, saddlebarn with escorted rides, inn on-site, reservable camping. Adm. chg. Hours varv. 765.597.2635. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

LEGEND

Association of Indiana Museums

Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association

Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association

Indiana State Festival Association

Indiana Restaurant Association

Indiana Wine Grape Council

Main Street Community

Accessible

Groups Welcome

Indoor Pool

Outdoor Pool

Pets Allowed



Festivals

Parke County Covered Bridge Christmas

Nov. 30-Dec. 2, 2012; Dec. 6-8, 2013 Countywide

Visits with Santa, shopping, crafts, decorated communities, Holiday Home Tour. Food and entertainment as you travel through the Covered Bridge Capital. Hours vary. 765.569.5226. coveredbridges.com &

Parke County Covered Bridge Festival Oct. 12-21, 2012; Oct. 11-20, 2013

Rockville Courthouse Square and Countywide Indiana's largest festival. Shopping, food, entertainment and the shining stars are 31 covered bridges nestled in beautiful fall foliage. Free maps. No adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.569.5226. coveredbridges.com &

Parke County Maple Syrup Fair Feb. 25-26, Mar. 3-4, 2012; Feb. 23-24, Mar. 2-3, 2013 Parke County 4-H Fairgrounds, 1472 N US 41, Rockville Maple syrup camps open. Pancake and sausage meals, maple syrup producers, crafts and Art Association at the 4-H building. Free maps to camps and bridges. Hours vary.

Shopping

coveredbridges.com &

Covered Bridge Art Gallery 124 W Ohio St., Rockville Affordable art - covered bridges, landscapes and florals. All mediums. Wood, pottery, photography, prints. Local artists. Historical building. Mon., Wed.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-5pm. Closed Tuesdays. Closed major holidays. 765.569.9422.

coveredbridgeartgallery.com &

■ SAINT MARY-OF-THE-WOODS

Attractions

Providence Center at Saint Mary-of-the-Woods

1 Sisters of Providence Welcome center for the Sisters of Providence. Saint Mother Theodore Guerin Shrine, group tours, church, gift shop, Sunday brunch, retreats, alpacas. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm; Sat.-Sun. 11am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 812.535.4531. ProvCenter.org &

■ SPENCER

For Camping see page 91

Lodging Canyon Inn ⊨ ¶

451 McCormick's Creek Park Rd. Located in Indiana's first state park. Full-service dining room, free Wi-Fi. Close to Bloomington and Indianapolis. For reservations, visit Indianalnns.com or call 1.877.LODGES1. 877.922.6966. Indianalnns.com & 🟡 Wi-Fi 🖨

Family Cabins at McCormick's Creek State Park

250 McCormick's Creek Park Rd. Housekeeping cabins sleep four or six. Hiking, nature center, swimming, saddlebarn with escorted rides. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. Hours vary. 812.829.2235. camp.IN.gov &

Recreation

McCormick's Creek State Park

250 McCormick's Creek Park Rd. Swimming, picnicking and a staffed nature center. Seasonal saddlebarn with escorted rides. Reservable camping and lodging. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.829.2235. stateparks.IN.gov ₺ 🖨

■ TERRE HAUTE 秋

Information

Terre Haute

Convention & Visitors Bureau

5353 E Margaret Dr. Visitors Center conveniently located just off exit 11 from I-70. Tour the IATCCC Museum. Get info on local/regional attractions. Call ahead for group tours or lodging info. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 800.366.3043. terrehaute.com

Attractions

Clabber Girl Museum and Bake Shop 🏛

900 Wabash Ave. Step into America's kitchens of yesteryear. Learn the science of baking, enjoy cooking demonstrations and see Indianapolis Motor Speedway memorabilia. Mon.-Fri. 10am-6pm; Sat. 10am-3pm. Closed major holidays. 812.232.9446. clabbergirl.com & 🖨

Swope Art Museum 🏛

25 S Seventh St. Discover talents of American artists including T.C. Steele, Edward Hopper, Thomas Hart Benton and Grant Wood. Over 2,000 works plus special exhibitions. Tue.-Fri. 10am-5pm., Sat. 10am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 812.238.1676. swope.org & 🖨

Terre Haute Children's Museum

727 Wabash Ave.

Three-story museum features a tree house, agriculture area with cow to "milk," water activities, working beehive, T-Rex model and toddler play area. Adm. chg. Tue.-Wed. and Fri. 10am-6pm; Thu. 10am-8pm; Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. Closed major holidays. 812.235.5548. thchildrensmuseum.com & 🖨

Lodging Holiday Inn 🖦

3500 ÚS Hwy. 41 S Ideally located to major attractions, golf, shopping and Indiana State University. Indoor recreation center with pool, fitness center and game room. 812.232.6081.

holiday-inn.com/terrehautein & 🙉 🖨

Spring Hill Suites by Marriott 🕮 3304 US Hwy. 41 S

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Super 8 Motel-Terre Haute

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Festivals

Pioneer Days

Oct. 6-7, 2012; Oct. 5-6, 2013 Fowler Park, 3000 E Oregon Church Rd. Pioneer activities, crafts and lifestyles recreated by village folks. Old-fashioned crafters with hands-on activities and a traders' market. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.462.3367. vigocounty.org &

Terre Haute Block Party

Aug. 25, 2012; Aug. 24, 2013 Downtown, Wabash Ave. from 4th to 9th Art vendors, music performances, poetry readings, storytelling, children's activities, hands-on activities, car and motorcycle show, great food. Hours vary. 812.237.2536. downtownterrehaute.org &

Restaurants

J. Ford's Black Angus

502 S 3rd St.

Upscale steakhouse in a casual, modern setting. Chef Jeff Ford, C.E.C., offers nightly culinary specials including seafood. Tue.-Thu. 5pm-9pm; Fri.-Sat. 5pm-10pm. Closed major holidays. 812.235.5549. jfordsblackangus.com &

■ WAVELAND

For Camping see page 91

Recreation

Clements Canoes Outdoor Center 8295 W SR 234

Canoeing, kayaking, tubing, camping and cabins on scenic Sugar Creek. Experience covered bridges, state parks and great fishing. Reservation discounts. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. 765.435.7285. clementscanoes.com & 🖨

Lake Waveland Park

11677 S SR 47

A great 360-acre lake for boating, swimming and fishing surrounded by a 248-acre park, Modern and primitive camping, shower house and picnic area. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. 765.435.2073. &

Shades State Park

7751 S 890 W

Sandstone cliffs overlooking Sugar Creek. Challenging hiking. Swimming at nearby Turkey Run State Park. Nonelectric camping only. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.435.2810. stateparks.IN.gov

■ WAYNETOWN

Attractions

Mid'Town Museum of Native Culture

102 E Washington St. A museum dedicated to the original caretakers of this nation with the focus on educating existing and future generations. Adm. chg. Tue.-Fri. 9am-4:30pm; Sat. 9am-2pm. Closed major holidays. 765.376.7128. midtowninwaynetown.com &

■ WOLCOTT

Festivals

Wolcott Summer Festival ★

Jul. 3-4, 2012; Jul. 3-4, 2013 Historic Wolcott House and grounds Flea market, crafts, live entertainment, food stands, children's games, amusement rides, parade, car show, antique tractors, fireworks and more. Hours vary. 219.279.2946. wolcottfestival.com &

LEGEND

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Main Street Community

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CAMPING	Group Rates / Discounts	Handicapped Accessible	Pets Allowed	On-site Lodging	RV Sites	Tents	Tables	Grates / Grills	Flush Toilets	Shower / Hot Water	Water Hookup	Sewer Hookup	Electric Hookup	Wi-Fi / Internet Access	Recreation Hall	Tennis On-site	Swimming On-site	Boat Rental On-site	Boating On-site	Fishing Lake On-site	Bait / Tackle On-site	Grocery On-site	Additional Notes
Cloverdale Lieber State Recreation Area at Cagles Mill Lake 1317 W Lieber dt. #1 755.795.4576 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	Family aquatic center, an hour from Indianapolis' west side. Hunting in season. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Delphi Wabash & Erie Canal Park 1030 N Washington St. 765.564.2870 wabashanderiecanal.org		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•		•			Discover history interpreted throughout the park. Hike/bike great trails. Playground boat, picnic shelters, horseshoe pits and kayak/ bike rentals.
Lafayette — West Lafayette Prophetstown State Park 4112 E. SR 225, West Lafayette 765.567.4919 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•										Vibrant summer prairie and restored wet slopes called fens. Nature/ history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Parke County Raccoon Lake State Recreation Area 1588 S Raccoon Pkwy., Rockville 765.344.1412 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•		•	Gateway to Parke County attractions. Summer nature/history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Turkey Run State Park 8121 E Park Rd., Marshall 765.597.2635 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•			•	•				•	•	Nature center with nature programs, saddlebarns with escorted rides. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Spencer McCormick's Creek State Park 250 McCormick's Creek State Park Rd. 812.829.2235 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•		•	•	•					•	Rustic park known for hiking, wildflowers and McCormick's Creek Canyon. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Waveland Shades State Park 7751 S 890 W 765.435.2810 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•											•			Rustic park known for hiking and sandstone cliffs overlooking Sugar Creek. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.

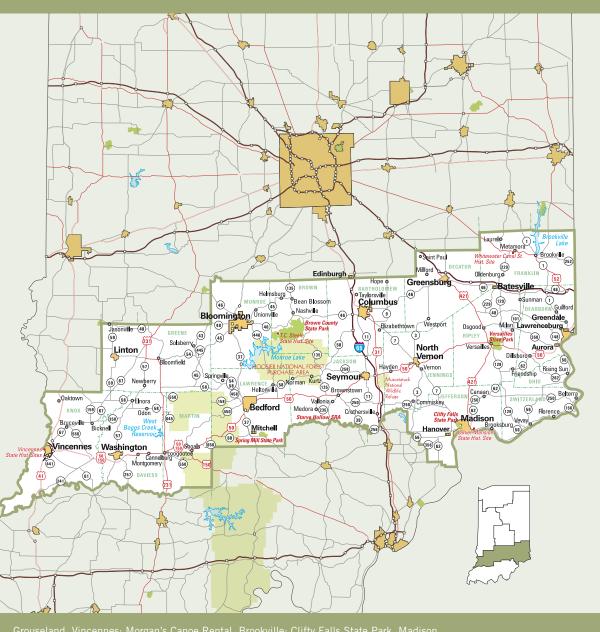
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ARTS AND CULTURE The heart of art

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DESTINATION RESTAURANTS/ LODGING Soul food

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FAMILY FUN Feel like a kid

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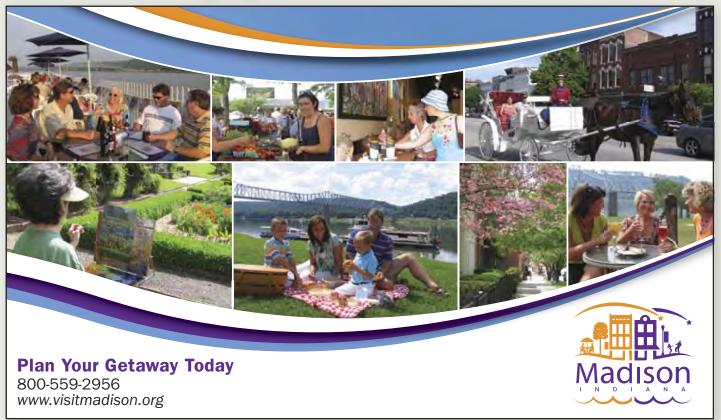
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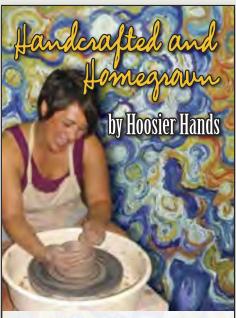
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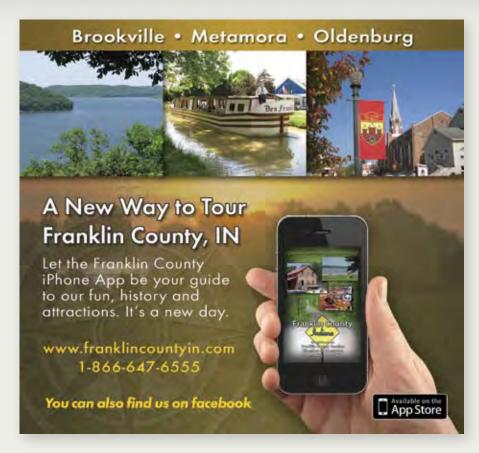
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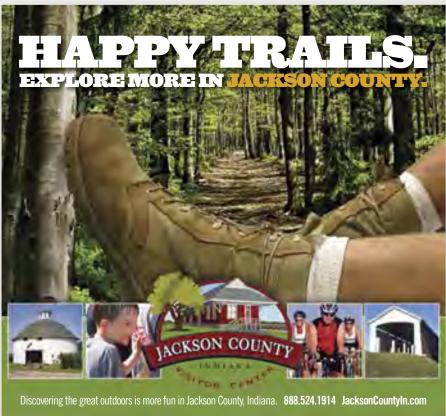


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Photos left to right: Spring Mill Inn; Abe Martin Lodge







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Photos left to right: T.C. Steele studio; See Steele's picturesque paintings



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Photos left to right: Oliver Winery's Tasting Room; The perfect afternoon picnic spot





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LIMESTONE

LAWRENCE COUNTY

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Photos left to right: Bluespring Caverns; Mountain biking at Spring Mill State Park





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Photos left to right: Savor the wine tastings; Share a picnic with friends

■ REGIONWIDE

Information

Indiana Foodways Alliance

The Alliance identifies and nurtures Indiana's varied community culinary heritages through education, partnerships, public relations and regional co-op. 317.853.4944. indianafoodways.com &

Attractions

ArtsRoad46

SR 46 is a scenic 40-mile highway connecting the arts, architecture, cuisine and vistas of Bloomington, Brown County and Columbus. ArtsRoad46.com

Indiana Artisan

Look for the Indiana Artisan seal on select art, craft and food from the Hoosier State. It recognizes the work of the state's best craftspeople. 317.607.8715. IndianaArtisan.org Ġ 🖨

Indiana Uplands Wine Trail 🦠

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■ AURORA 統

Attractions

Hillforest Victorian House Museum 🏛 213 Fifth St.

A restored 1850s mansion overlooking the Ohio River. Victorian Christmas in December with tours and activities. Adm. chg. Apr.-Dec. Tue.-Sat. 1pm-5pm. 812.926.0087. hillforest.org & 🖨

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■ BATESVILLE 統

Information

Batesville Area Chamber of Commerce & Visitor Center

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■ BEDFORD 統

Lodging

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Recreation

Bluespring Caverns

1459 Bluespring Caverns Rd. Tour Indiana's longest caverns by boat. Rare blind fish and crayfish, gem prospecting, nature trail, gift shop. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. 812.279.9471. bluespringcaverns.com 🖨

BICKNELL

Lodging

Bicknell Bed and Breakfast 120 W 3rd St.

Features smoke-free rooms with laundry facilities. Family suite combinations and Wi-Fi available. 812.735.1003. bicknellbb.com Wi-Fi

■ BLOOMINGTON 🎊

For Camping see page 110

Information

Visit Bloomington

2855 N Walnut St. The home of IU and so much more. Travel information for hotels, restaurants, events and attractions. Local merchandise also available. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5pm; Sat. 10am-3pm. Closed major holidays. 866.333.0038. visitbloomington.com &

Attractions

Indiana University 🏛

IU Campus Experience one of the five most beautiful college campuses in the country. World-class museums, performances and Big Ten athletics. Hours vary. 812.856.4648. iub.edu &

Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts Center

122 S Walnut St.

The Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts Center houses five traditional galleries, one video gallery, two performance spaces and four classrooms. Hours vary. 812.330.4400.

ivytech.edu/bloomington/waldron &

Oliver Winery 8024 N SR 37

Indiana's largest winery producing over 40 award-winning wines. Wine over 40 award-willing willes. While tasting, gourmet cheese shop and a beautiful picnic setting awaits you. Mon.-Sat. 10am-6pm; Sun. Noon-6pm. Closed major holidays. 812.876.5800. oliverwinery.com & 🖨

Lodging Century Suites Hotel 300 SR 446

Bloomington's unique hotel that is out of the ordinary, but not out of the way. 812.336.7777. centurysuites.com & Wi-Fi 🖨

Grant Street Inn

310 N Grant St. Bed and breakfast located in the heart of Bloomington, nestled between Indiana University and the courthouse square. 812.334.2353. grantstinn.com Wi-Fi 🖨

Hampton Inn

2100 N Walnut St. Located next to Memorial Stadium and Assembly Hall, just one mile from downtown. We love having you here! 812.334.2100. bloomingtonhamptoninn.com

& # • Wi-Fi 🖨

Indiana Memorial Union Biddle Hotel and Conference Center 900 E 7th St.

The Biddle offers 189 comfortably furnished and affordably priced rooms and suites. We also offer almost 50,000 square feet of conference space. 812.855.1245. imu.indiana.edu & Wi-Fi 🖨

Wampler House Bed & Breakfast 🖵

4905 S Rogers St. In a historic family home, the inn has eight guest bedrooms with private baths (Jacuzzi tubs) and fireplaces. The spa offers a variety of services. 812.824.2446. wamplerhouse.com & Wi-Fi

LEGEND

- Association of Indiana Museums
- Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association
- Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association
- Indiana State Festival Association
- Indiana Restaurant Association
- Indiana Wine Grape Council
- Main Street Community
- Accessible
- Groups Welcome
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- Outdoor Pool
- Pets Allowed



Recreation

Monroe Lake

4850 S SR 446

Swimming, boating, hiking, summer nature programs, picnicking, fishing and hunting in season. Reservable campsites and shelters. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.837.9546. stateparks.IN.gov & ⊜

Restaurants

Uptown Cafe

102 E Kirkwood Ave. Our emphasis is a Cajun-Creole style with bold flavors, hearty portions and food with personality. A Bloomington tradition. Mon.-Fri. 7am-10pm; Sat. 8am-10pm; Sun. 9am-2pm. 812.339.0900. the-uptown.com &

Shopping

Textillery Weavers

2361 Rappel Dr. The leading creators of handwoven, decorative accessories woven by hand in our Bloomington studio. Throws and yarn available in our outlet. Mon.-Fri. 10am-5pm; Sat. 2pm-4pm.

800.223.7673. textillery.com ₺ 🖨

Yarns Unlimited

115 S Walnut St.

Bloomington's premier yarn shop for over 30 years offering major brands and locally hand-dyed yarns and tools for knitting, weaving, spinning, crocheting and felting. Mon.-Sat. 10am-6pm. 812.334.2464. yarnsunlimited.com &

■ BROOKVILLE 紋

For Camping see page 110

Recreation

Brookville Lake 14108 SR 101

Enjoy swimming, boating, hiking, camping, fishing, summer interpreter, bicycle trail, horseshoe pits, archery and shooting ranges. Hunting in season. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 765.647.2657. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ BROWN COUNTY

For Camping see page 110

Attractions

Bill Monroe Memorial Music Park & Campgrounds

5163 SR 135 N, Bean Blossom The Mecca of Bluegrass music. Festivals Jun.-Oct., weekend flea market, Bluegrass Hall of Fame and Country Star Museum, gift shop, 55 acres for camping. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.414.4677. beanblossom.us &

Explore Brown County 2620 Valley Branch Rd., Nashville 500 acres of rugged adventures. biking, ATV tours, cabins, camping, events, rental hall. All ages, groups welcome. Hours vary. 812,988,7750. explorebrowncounty.com & 🖨

T.C. Steele Home State Historic Site 🏛

4220 T.C. Steele Rd., Nashville More than 70 original T.C. Steele paintings are displayed in the artist's studio and home. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.988.2785. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Lodging

Abe Martin Lodge at Brown County

State Park 😕 🍴 Hwy 46 E, Nashville Lodge rooms and cabins available. Guests will enjoy the indoor aquatic center, bike/hiking trails and horse back riding. For reservations, visit Indianalnns.com or call 1.877. LODGES1. 877.265.6343. Indianalnns.com & 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Brown County Inn 🖭

51 SR 46 E, Nashville Three blocks south of downtown Nashville. 99 guestrooms, yearround pool, restaurant, bar, meeting rooms. Visit our website for seasonal value packages. 800.772.5249. browncountyinn.com

& 🙉 •≤ Wi-Fi 🖨

Comfort Inn Nashville

75 W Chestnut, SR 46, Nashville Complimentary high-speed internet, fitness center, suites, whirlpools, micro-fridge, sundeck, downtown trolley available. Near downtown shops and state park, 812,988,6118. spraguehotels.com/sprague-comfortinn-nashville & 🙉 🖨

Cornerstone Inn

54 E Franklin St., Nashville A relaxing getaway in downtown Nashville with 36 exemplary guestrooms. Perfect for couples, girlfriend getaways, reunions and retreats. 888.383.0300. CornerstoneInn.com & Wi-Fi 🖨

Salt Creek Golf Retreat

2359 SR 46 E, Nashville Award-winning 18-hole championship golf course surrounded by the scenic rolling hills of Brown County. Condo lodging, on-site restaurants, pro shop. 812.988.7888. saltcreekgolf.com & •▲ Wi-Fi 🖨

The Seasons Lodge

560 SR 46 E, Nashville Rooms with balcony view. Dining room open for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Conference and wedding facilities. Cocktail lounge with weekend entertainment. 800.365.7327. seasonslodge.com & 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Brown County State Park

1405 SR 46 W, Nashville Largest state park in Indiana boasts exceptional fall color. Hiking, swimming and bridle trails (BYOH), mountain bike trails, saddlebarn with escorted rides. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.988.6406. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ BROWNSTOWN 統

For Camping see page 110

BRUCEVILLE

Attractions

Apple Hill Orchard 6235 N Ford Rd.

Unique trellis orchard featuring apples, peaches and nectarines. State-of-theart cider press and an on-site bakery. Jul.-Dec. Mon.-Sat. 9am-6pm. Closed major holidays. 812.324.9010. vincennescvb.org & 🖨

CANNELBURG

Attractions

Dinky's Auction Center

CR 900 E and CR 550 N 36,000-square-foot building fills to capacity with the sounds and sights of multiple auctioneers selling just about everything every Friday night. Fri. 10am-10pm. 812.486.2880. daviesscounty.net & 🖨

Festivals

Daviess County Amish Quilt Auction ★ Sep. 1, 2012; Sep. 7, 2013
Simon J. Graber Community Building, CR 900 E, N of Hwy. 50
Hand-quilted from the Amish community of Daviess County. Amish crafts, quilting demonstration, furniture and wonderful food. Hours vary. 812.698.1697. daviesscounty.net &

COLUMBUS

Information

Columbus Visitors Center

506 Fifth St.

Visual delights greet you at every turn. With more than 70 noteworthy structures, Columbus (population 44,000) is ranked 6th in the U.S. for its designs. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.468.6564. columbus.in.us 🕹 🖨

Attractions

Architecture Tours

506 Fifth St.

Tour 70+ modern structures or visit the Miller House and Garden, the nation's finest modern home. Check website for tour times and reservations. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.378.2622. columbus.in.us 🕹 🖨

kidscommons, columbus' community

children's museum

309 Washington St. Explore! Create! Three floors of interactive, hands-on exhibits designed for families with toddlers-early teens. Climb through our giant toilet! Adm. chg. Tue.-Sat. 10am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-5pm. Closed major holidays. 812.378.3046. kidscommons.org ₺ 🖨

Zaharakos (Since 1900)

329 Washington St. Delight your senses with a restored soda/ice cream parlor, rare Welte orchestrion (self-playing pipe organ) and mechanical music/soda fountain museum. Mon.-Fri. 8am-8pm; Sat.-Sun. 9am-8pm. 812.378.1900. zaharakos.com &

Lodging

Comfort Inn and Suites

2485 Jonathan Moore Pike Extended stay suites, fitness center, guest laundry, business center, meeting space, bus parking, BBQ area, rewards program. Free internet. 812.376.3051. comfortinn.com/hotel-columbusindiana-IN245 🖛 Wi-Fi 🖨

Courtyard by Marriott Columbus Tipton Lakes

3888 Mimosa Dr.

Indoor pool, fitness center, 24-hour marketplace, free Wi-Fi, meeting room, all non-smoking rooms. Free parking. 812.342.8888. marriott.com/bmgtl & 🐼 Wi-Fi 🖨

Holiday Inn Conference Center

2480 Jonathan Moore Pike Indoor recreational area includes pool, putting green, games. Restaurant, lounge, fitness center, guest laundry. Banquet/event facilities for up to 800. 812.372.1541. holiday-inn.com/columbusin

& 🐼 Wi-Fi 🖨

Hotel Indigo

400 Brown St. Artfully designed, downtown location. 100% non-smoking, restaurant and bar, meeting facilities, fitness center,

hardwood floors, spa-inspired showers. 812.375.9100.

hotelindigo.com/columbusin

The Inn at Irwin Gardens

608 5th St.

Experience the grandeur of the Inn at Irwin Gardens in the heart of architecturally renowned Columbus. 812.376.3663. irwingardens.com Wi-Fi

La Quinta Inn & Suites

101 Carrie Ln.

2011 Best New Construction - Urban Design award-winner. Sundry shop, manager's reception, event space, catering available. 812.379.4657. LQColumbus.com Wi-Fi

Residence Inn-Columbus

4525 W SR 46

Full kitchens with stainless appliances, indoor pool and spa, fitness center, outdoor patio with grill and fire pit. 100% non-smoking. 812.342.2400. marriott.com/bmgri & 🐼 Wi-Fi



Sleep Inn & Suites

2335 Jonathan Moore Pike Microwave and refrigerator in all rooms, over 120 television channels, including HBO and TV Japan, fitness center, lakeside rooms. 812.372.7200. sleepinn.com/hotel-columbusindiana-IN141 & 🙉 🖨

Recreation

Otter Creek Golf Course

11522 E 50 N Established in 1964, a 27-hole facility designed by Robert Trent Jones and Rees Jones. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.579.5227. ottercreekgolf.com & 🖨

■ EDINBURGH

Attractions

Not Just Popcorn 116 E Main Cross

Over 316 flavors of gourmet popcorn. Mon.-Tue. 10am-5pm; Wed.-Sat. 10am-6pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. 812.526.8256.

notjustpopcorn.com & 🖨

Lodging Comfort Inn Edinburgh/Columbus 11711 N US 31

Newly renovated, HDTV, refrigerator, microwave, whirlpool suites, fitness center, guest laundry, manager's reception, adjacent to Edinburgh Premium Outlets. 812.526.9899. spraguehotels.com/sprague-comfortinn-edinburgh & 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Hampton Inn Edinburgh/Columbus 12161 N US 31

HDTV, refrigerator and microwave in every room. Whirlpool suites, fitness center, business center, meeting facilities, guest laundry, manager's reception, bus parking. 812.526.5100. spraguehotels.com/Sprague-hamptoninn-edinburgh & 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Hilton Garden Inn

12210 N Executive Dr. HDTV, refrigerator, microwave, whirlpool suites. Great American Grill Bar, room service, fitness center, business center, laundry, meeting facilities. 812.526.8600. spraguehotels.com/hilton-garden-inncolumbus & 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

15001 N Executive Dr. Opening 2012. HDTV, refrigerator, microwave, fitness center, business center, sundry shop, guest laundry, manager's reception, extended stay, meetings. 800.315.2605. Hlexpress.com & 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Red Roof Inn-Taylorsville

10330 N US Hwy. 31 Great rooms, friendly staff and budget conscious rates. Micro-fridge, free continental breakfast. Near Edinburgh

Premium Outlets and Columbus area. 812.526.9747. redroof.com 🖛 Wi-Fi

Shopping

Edinburgh Premium Outlets

11622 NE Executive Dr. Shop 85 designer and name-brand outlets. Enjoy savings of 25% to 65% every day at Banana Republic, Coach, J.Crew and more. 812.526.9764. premiumoutlets.com/edinburgh & 🖨

■ ELNORA

Festivals

White River Valley Antique Show ★ Sep. 6-9, 2012; Sep. 5-8, 2013 Daviess County Fairgrounds, SR 57 Demonstrations of threshing machines. Sawmills, sorghum, apple butter and antique machinery. Gospel night. Children's day Fri. Tractor pull Sat. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.345.0064. wrvaa.org &

■ GREENSBURG 秋

Information

Decatur County Visitors Center

2020 Montgomery Rd. Information available on tours, attractions, shopping, lodging, restaurants and more. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. 877.883.5447. visitgreensburg.com & 🖨

Attractions

Greensburg/Decatur County **Farmers Market**

Downtown Greensburg Visit downtown Greensburg each Friday during the summer for the Greensburg/ Decatur County Farmers Market. Fresh produce, good friends and fun! May-Oct. Fri. 2pm-6pm. 812.593.4207. mainstreetgreensburg.com &

HighPoint Orchard

3321 N Old US Hwy. 421 Located on historic Pleaks Hill, HighPoint offers a restaurant, bakery, gift shop, banquet facilities, seasonal fruit and 20 apple varieties. May-Nov. Tue.-Sat. 9am-6pm; Sun. Noon-4pm. 812.663.4534. &

Historical Society of Decatur County

222 N Franklin St. Historical museum featuring furniture, clothing and exhibits from the 1800s to the present. Jan.-Apr. Tue., Thu., Sat. 10am-2pm; Sun. 1pm-4pm. 812.663.2764. decaturcountyhistory.org &

Lodging Hampton Inn & Suites Greensburg 🖭

2075 N Michigan Ave. Offers 2,500 square feet of meeting space, suite shop, business center, fresh and clean Hampton Beds™. 100% satisfaction guarantee. 812.663.5000.

greensburgsuites.hamptoninn.com

& **#** ⋒ Wi-Fi 🖨

Holiday Inn Express

915 Ann Blvd.

IHG Torchbearer Award winner. Fridge, microwave and HD flat screen TV in all rooms. Whirlpool suites. Wolf Theatre and Buffalo Wings & Rings are adjacent. Packages available. 812.663.5500.

hiexpress.com/greensburgin

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Nana's House Bed and Breakfast 🖵

3126 E Base Rd. Lovely 1906 Victorian home set on 11 acres half way between Indianapolis and Cincinnati off I-74. Come let us pamper you! 812.663.6607. nanashousebb.com

HOPE

Information

Hope Area Welcome Center

613 Harrison St. Small town...big fun! Start your visit on our historic town square. Free information on lodging, dining, shopping, festivals, recreation and more. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.546.HOPE(4673). hopechamber.com 🖨

Attractions

Simmons One Room Schoolhouse fin

Hope Elementary Campus, SR 9 Step back in time at our restored one-room schoolhouse. School Marm conducts the class. Voted "Best field trip of the year!" Open by appointment. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.546.4877. simmonsschool.com 🖨

Simmons Winery 🤏 8111 E 450 N

Visit for award-winning wines, tasting room, tours and gifts. Try our Autumn Rose White Wine, 2010 Indy International Concordance Gold Medal winner! Hours vary. 812.546.0091. simmonswinery.com 🖨

Yellow Trail Museum 🏛

644 Main St.

Explore our unique heritage, rural artifacts and living history exhibits including barber shop, doctor's office, soda fountain and more! Call for a tour. May-Oct. Hours vary. 812.546.4877. yellowtrailmuseum.com

Recreation

Clifty Creek Golf Course

12000 E 225 N

Hit the greens in Hope! Our 9-hole course features 2,955 yards of golf from the longest tees for a par of 36. Clubhouse, driving range and more. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.372.6031.

Restaurants

Auntie Aimee's Country Tea Room & Strawberry Fields Mercantile

326 Jackson St.

Hope's most unique destination. Antiques, gifts, home decor, country tea room, deli, catering and more. Join us for lunch. Tours welcome! Closed Sundays. Hours vary. 812.546.0640. ഒ

JASONVILLE

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Lodging

Family Cabins at Shakamak State Park

6265 W SR 48

Housekeeping cabins sleep six. Nice pool and fishing pier in park. Saddlebarn with escorted rides. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. 812.665.2158. stateparks.IN.gov & ...

Recreation

Shakamak State Park

6265 W SR 48

Huge fishing pier and outdoor aquatic center. Swimming, hiking, summer nature/history programs and saddlebarn with escorted rides. Reservable cabins. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.665.2158. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

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■ LAWRENCEBURG ※

Information

Dearborn County Convention, Visitor & Tourism Bureau

320 Walnut St. Visitor services, brochures, group tour information, displays of local products and attractions. Tour for the Cure[™] headquarters. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.322.8198. visitsoutheastindiana.com & 🖨

Attractions

Hollywood Casino

777 Hollywood Blvd. Experience "Hollywood" in this new casino with 125,000 sq. ft. of gaming just on the main floor! Accommodates 4,000 people. 888.274.6797. hollywoodindiana.com & 🖨

Perfect North Slopes

19074 Perfect Ln.

100-acre facility offers 17 snowskiing and snowboarding slopes and 10 snow-tubing runs. Lessons, night skiing and equipment rental. Dec.-Mar. Tue.-Thu. and Sun. 9:30am-9:30pm; Fri.-Sat. 9:30am-3am. 812.537.3754. visitsoutheastindiana.com & 🖨

Tri-State Antique Market

Fairgrounds, US 50 at Hollywood Blvd. Indiana's largest antiques and vintage market. Every first Sunday, May through Oct. Rain or shine. Over 200 indoor and outdoor vendors. Adm. chg. May-Oct. Sun. 7am-3pm. 513.738.7256. queencityshows.com &

Lodging Comfort Inn

619 Flossie Dr.

Less than one mile to Hollywood Casino, four miles from Perfect North Slopes, just minutes to Lawrenceburg Speedway. 812.539.3600. visitsoutheastindiana.com

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Holiday Inn Express-Lawrenceburg

765 Eads Pkwy. Book packages online! Close to Hollywood Casino, Perfect North Slopes, Lawrenceburg Speedway and indoor go-kart racing. 812.537.2552.

visitsoutheastindiana.com & 🙉 🖨

Hollywood Casino Hotel

777 Hollywood Blvd. Book packages online! Offering class, comfort and convenience to complete your fun-filled experience. 300-room Victorian-style hotel. 888.274.6797. hollywoodindiana.com & 🖨

Quality Inn & Suites 1000 Eads Pkwy. Book packages online! Great weekday deals. Less than one mile to Hollywood Casino. Four miles to Perfect North Slopes. 812.539.4770. visitsoutheastindiana.com & # 🙉 🖨

Riverside Inn

515 Eads Pkwy.

You'll find our convenient location and friendly service are a winning combination! 812.537.4441. visitsoutheastindiana.com & 🖨

LINTON

Information

Linton-Stockton Chamber of Commerce

159 1st St. NW Outdoor recreation at its finest! Greene-Sullivan State Forest, Redbird State Riding Area, Phil Harris Golf Course, 4th of July Freedom Festival. Mon.-Fri. 9am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 812.847.4846. lintonchamber.org &

■ LOOGOOTEE

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Information

Martin County Chamber of Commerce 210 N Line St.

Discover natural treasures and rich history. Enjoy Summerfest (Jun.), Catfish Festival (Jul. 4) and 4-H Fair (Jul.). Utilize great local businesses. Mon.-Fri. 10am-Noon. Closed major holidays. 812.295.4093. MartinCountyIndiana ChamberofCommerce.org

■ MADISON 秋

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Information

Madison Visitors Center

601 W First St. Information on county attractions, lodging, restaurants, shopping, historic sites, recreation and more. Brochures, maps, gift shop, video, restrooms. Hours vary. 800.559.2956. visitmadison.org &

Attractions

By Hoosier Hands Art Trail

601 W First St. Four artisan trails in Southeast Indiana. Madison's trail includes 24 arts-related stops (including 3 wineries) and 23 stops open by appointment. 800.559.2956. byhoosierhands.com

Indiana Wine Trail

601 W. First St. From secluded estate vineyards to historic pub-style bistros, The Indiana Wine Trail brings together six of the region's best award-winning wineries. Hours vary. 800.559.2956. indianawinetrail.com

Lanier Mansion State Historic Site 🏛

601 W First St.

Formal gardens and period furnishings grace the 1844 Greek Revival home of early Indiana banker J.F.D. Lanier. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.265.3526. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Southeast Indiana Trails to Freedom

601 W First St.

Jefferson County was an active crossing point for fugitive slaves seeking freedom. Home to Georgetown, a free black settlement. 800.559.2956. visitmadison.org

Lodging

Best Way Inn 700 Clifty Dr.

Clean and inviting rooms with microwaves and refrigerators. Fishing pond and BBQ pits. Close to Clifty Falls, shopping and riverboat casinos. 812.273.5151.

bestwayinnmadison.com

& **#** 🍙 Wi-Fi 🖨

Clifty Inn at Clifty Falls Staté Park 🖭 🍴

Hwy. 56

A short drive from historic Madison. Hiking and scenic waterfalls. Located on the Ohio River. For reservations, visit Indianalnns.com or call 1.877.LODGES1. 877.925.4389. Indianalnns.com & 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Hillside Inn

831 E Main St.

Nestled in the rolling hills of Southern Indiana, experience one of this historic region's most elegant, upscale and charming hotels. 812.265.3221. hillsidemadison.com & Wi-Fi

Recreation

Clifty Falls State Park

2221 Clifty Dr. Seasonal waterfalls and view of downtown Madison. Swimming, hiking and staffed nature center with camping and lodging within the park. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.273.8885.

stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

Festivals

Lanier Days

Jun. 16-17, 2012; Jun. 15-16, 2013 Lanier Mansion, 601 W First St. Celebrate the culture of early Hoosiers through thundering cannons, war reenactments, fascinating stories, period music and artisans. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.265.3526. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Madison Chautauqua Festival of Art

Sep. 29-30, 2012; Sep. 28-29, 2013 Historic neighborhood: Vine to Broadway and Main St. to Vaughn Dr. Southern Indiana's premier juried art and craft show. Handmade work by artists across the U.S. Entertainment throughout. Riverfront FoodFest. Free! 10am-5pm. 800.559.2956. madisonchautaugua.com &

■ MEDORA

Festivals

National Maple Syrup Festival ★ Mar. 3-4 and Mar. 10-11, 2012; Mar. 2-3 and Mar. 9-10, 2013

Medora Community School and Burton's Maplewood Farm Sugarbush tours, historical accounts, wagon rides, Bluegrass music, Old McMaple Petting Zoo, largest Native and French American sugar encampments in U.S. 8:30am-5pm. 812.966.2168. NationalMapleSyrupFestival.com & 🖨

METAMORA

Attractions

Whitewater Canal State Historic Site 🏛

19083 Clayborn St. Glide through the nation's only working covered aqueduct on this 1830s canal. A water-powered grist mill produces cornmeal and grits. Adm. chg. Apr.-Nov. Hours vary. 765.647.6512. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Whitewater Valley Railroad

19056 S Main St.

Relaxing scenic railroad providing a variety of educational and entertaining excursions and special events. This includes trips to historic Metamora. Adm. chg. Mar.-Dec. Hours vary. 765.825.2054. whitewatervalleyrr.org

Festivals

Metamora Christmas Walk ★

Nov. 23-25, Nov. 30-Dec. 2 Dec. 7-9, Dec. 14-16, 2012; Nov. 29-Dec. 1, Dec. 6-8, Dec. 13-15, Dec. 21-23, 2013 Village Main St. A Currier and Ives scene. Lanterns line the canal, decorations throughout the village, horse and carriage rides, Santa house, carolers and unique shops. Hours vary. 765.647.2109. metamoraindiana.com &

Metamora Old-Time Music Festival ★

Sep. 1-2, 2012; Aug. 31-Sep. 1, 2013 Whitewater Canal, 19083 Clayborn St. Come to the stage near the aqueduct for a celebration of traditional music and folkways along the Whitewater Canal. Free workshops and performances. Hours vary. 765.647.6512. metamoramusic.pbworks.com & 🖨

Metamora Strawberry Days ★

Jun. 2-3, 2012; Jun. 1-2, 2013 Banes House Lawn, 19060 S Main St. Come to Metamora, Indiana's Canal Town. Enjoy fresh strawberry shortcake with all the trimmings. Hear live music all afternoon from regional groups. Hours vary. 765.647.2109. metamoraindiana.com &



Shopping

Words & Images/The Train Place 19040 Main St.

Antiques and collectibles, specializing in kerosene lighting, cast iron, railroad items and books. Located on the canal in the middle of town. Sat .-Sun. Noon-5pm. 765.647.1212. metamoralanterns.com

■ MILAN 統

Attractions

Milan '54 "Hoosiers" Museum 203 W Carr St.

Learn about the Milan Indian's climb to the top, inspiring the movie "Hoosiers" and what life was like in the 1950s. Wed.-Sat. 10am-4pm; Sun. Noon-4pm. 812.654.2772. milan54.org

Lodging

The Huntington Bed & Breakfast 918 N CR 450 E

Nestled on wooded surroundings including gardens, swimming pool, fishing lake, shuffleboard court and trails for horseback riding and hiking. 812.654.2143.

huntington-clsmith.com & # 🖛 🖨

MITCHELL

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Information

Lawrence County Visitors Center 533 W Main St.

Information on attractions, lodging, tours, special events, festivals, restaurants and more! Foyer area open 24/7 for access to brochures. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 800.798.0769. limestonecountry.com & ■

Attractions

Grissom Memorial at Spring Mill State Park

3333 SR 60 E

Honors native Gus Grissom, Mercury astronaut and America's second man in space. New exhibits and the Gemini III space capsule. Closed New Year's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 8:30am-4pm. 812.849.3534. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

Pioneer Village at Spring Mill State Park

3333 SR 60 E

Restored village includes 1800s era log structures and a three-story, waterpowered grist and sawmill. Summer programs and special events. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Mon.-Sun. 9am-5pm. 812.849.3534.

interpretiveservices.IN.gov & 🖨

Lodging

Spring Mill Inn at Spring Mill State Park 🕮 🍴 3333 SR 60 F

Beautiful surroundings and activities for all. Pioneer village, boat-cave tours, bike/hike trails, free Wi-Fi and gameroom. For reservations, visit Indianalnns.com or call 1.877.LODGES1. 877.977.7464. IndianaInns.com & 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Spring Mill State Park 3333 SR 60 E

Traditional park activities plus pioneer village with grist and sawmill, Gus Grissom Memorial and on-site inn. Hiking trails and mountain bike trail. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.849.3534. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

MONTGOMERY

For Camping see page 110

Lodging Gasthof Village Inn

6659 E Gasthof Village Rd. Enjoy the "Simple Life." Experience rest and relaxation in a country setting plus Amish cooking, based goods and shopping. 812.486.2600. gasthofamishvillage.com & # 🖡 🖨

Festivals

Montgomery Turkey Trot Festival ★ Sep. 6-9, 2012; Sep. 5-8, 2013 Ruritan Park

Turkey races, live bands nightly, food, refreshments, crafts, games, greased pig contests and a tractor pull. All-around great fun! Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.254.0938. montgomeryturkeytrot.com &

Restaurants

Gasthof Amish Restaurant & Bakery

6659 E Gasthof Village Rd. True homemade Amish buffet, gift shops, bakery, flea market (Apr.-Oct.), 82-room inn, four banquet/ meeting rooms for up to 300 people and catering. Mon.-Thu. 11am-8pm; Fri-Sat. 11am-9pm; Sun. 11am-3pm. 812.486.4900.

gasthofamishvillage.com & 🖨

NORMAN

Lodging

Berry Branch Cottages 10402 N CR 800 W

One- and two-bedroom, fully furnished cabins are situated among large, beautiful trees. Large lake is open for fishing and swimming. 812.497.2304.

NORTH VERNON

For Camping see page 110

OAKTOWN

For Camping see page 110

ODON

Festivals

Old Settlers Festival ★
Aug. 7-11, 2012; Aug. 6-10, 2013
Odon City Park, just off SR 58 One of Indiana's oldest festivals celebrating over 125 years with five days of fun, exhibits and entertainment. Parades, contests, Kids' Day. Hours vary. 812.636.8218. odonoldsettlers.com

OSGOOD

Lodging Newman-Vollmar House Bed & **Breakfast**

244 S Buckeye St. Old Victorian flare still exists in this award-winning bed and breakfast. All rooms with private baths, gardens. Located between Indy and Cincinnati. 812.689.1535.

newmanvollmarhouse.com # Wi-Fi =

The Victorian Garden Bed & Breakfast

243 N Walnut St. 1895 Victorian home. Step back in time when life was less stressful. Private baths, beautiful gardens, wrap around porch. Close to area attractions. 812.689.4469.

bbonline.com/in/victorian/ Wi-Fi

■ RISING SUN 統

Information

Rising Sun/Ohio County Tourism 120 Main St.

Welcome to the Indiana hometown you always wanted. The banks of the Ohio River surround over half of Ohio County's rolling hills. Hours vary. 888.776.4786.

enjoyrisingsun.com & 🖨

■ SEYMOUR 統

Information

Jackson County Visitor Center

100 N Broadway St. Discover Jackson County's covered bridges, round barns and wildlife. Hike, bike, camp, fish, hunt and shop. Enjoy art and history. Hours vary. 812.524.1914.

jacksoncountyin.com & 🖨

Attractions

Southern Indiana Center for the Arts 2001 N Ewing St.

Enjoy permanent and rotating art exhibits, classes, live entertainment, an antique printing museum and a pottery barn all in a beautiful setting. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.522.2278. soinart.com & 🖨

Lodging Allstate Inn

2603 Outlet Blvd.

Clean rooms for lowest rates in town. Walk to 24-hour restaurant. Internet access, bus parking. Near wildlife refuge. Located near I-65 and US 50. 812.522.2666. allstateinn.com ፟፟፟፟፟ ★ Wi-Fi 🖨

Econo Lodge

220 Commerce Dr. Convenient location on I-65 and US Hwy. 50, Exit 50A. Adjacent to restaurant and bar, shopping nearby. One hour from Indianapolis and Louisville. 812.522.8000. econolodge.com/hotel-seymour-indiana-IN405 & **★** • Wi-Fi 🖨

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott

327 N Sandy Creek Dr. Indoor pool, spa, courtyard overlooking golf course. Fitness center, Wi-Fi, suites with microwave/mini fridge, TV Japan, Asian breakfast. 812.524.3800. marriott.com/INDSE & 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Hampton Inn

247 Sandy Creek Dr. Lighthouse award-winning. Suites with whirlpools. Microwave and refrigerator in every room. Meeting space, manager's reception Mon.-Thu. Near golf course. 812.523.2409. spraguehotels.com/sprague-hamptoninn-seymour & 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Holiday Inn Express and Suites

249 Sandy Creek Dr. Torch bearer award. Microwave and refrigerator in every room. Guest laundry. Whirlpool, indoor pool, fitness center, whirlpool suites. Evening reception Mon.-Thu. Near golf course. 812.522.1200. spraguehotels.com/ sprague-holiday-inn-express-seymour & @ A

Knights Inn

207 N Sandy Creek Dr. All ground-floor rooms, completely renovated, inside and out. Next to Cracker Barrel, Ryan's Steakhouse and golf. Rooms equipped with microfridges. 812.522.3523. knightsinn.com & # • 🕿 🖨

Motel 6

365 Tanger Blvd. All rooms offer microwave and refrigerator. Outdoor pool, truck parking, Wi-Fi, laundry facility, Jacuzzi suites, elevator and free coffee. 812.524.7443. motel6.com

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LEGEND

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- Indoor Pool Outdoor Pool
- Pets Allowed

SOUTH CENTRAL REGION



Quality Inn 2075 E Tipton St. Renovated in 2011. Guestrooms feature Jacuzzi suites. Microwaves and refrigerators available. Free Wi-Fi, on-site fitness center. Close to dining. 812.519.2959. qualityinn.com & # 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Super 8 Motel

401 Outlet Blvd. Located at I-65 and US Hwy. 50. Near shopping and restaurants with easy access to attractions. Suites offer hot tubs, microwave and refrigerator. 812.524.2000. super8.com

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Travelodge

306 S Commerce Dr. Outdoor pool, HBO, free Wi-Fi. Conveniently located off I-65 and US Hwy. 50. Close to Muscatatuck Urban Training Center, shopping and dining. 812.519.2578. travelodge.com & 🛪 🖛 Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge

12985 E US Hwy. 50 Nearly 8,000 acres of wetlands and nature at its best. Impressive Visitor Center with nature bookstore. Various trails, fishing areas, historic cabin. Hours vary. 812.522.4352. fws.gov/refuges ₺ 🖨

Festivals

Seymour Oktoberfest 🖈

Oct. 4-6, 2012; Oct. 3-5, 2013 Downtown, Chestnut and Second Streets

Three-day festival celebrates Seymour's German heritage with vendors, great authentic food, parade, music, dancing, 5k run/walk and other events. Hours vary. 812.523.1414. seymouroktoberfest.com &

UNIONVILLE

Lodging Antler Log Cabins SR 45

Secluded log cabins near Nashville with hot tub, fireplace, satellite and fishing lakes. Some cabins include boats with nightly rental. 812.339.6547. antlerlogcabins.com

VALLONIA

For Camping see page 111

Festivals

Fort Vallonia Days Oct. 20-21, 2012; Oct. 19-20, 2013 Downtown

Two-day festival celebrates Vallonia's heritage with Indian lodges, muzzleloader shoots, pioneer crafts, parade, food, museum visits and vendors. Hours vary. 812.523.3197. fortvalloniadays.com &

Recreation

Starve Hallow State Recreation Area 4345 S 275 W

Swimming, fishing, hiking, softball, volleyball. Access to nearby mountain bike trails, beach, paved boat ramps, nature trail. Trolling motors only. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.358.3464. in.gov/dnr/forestry/4819.htm &

■ VERSAILLES

For Camping see page 111

Information

Ripley County Tourism Bureau/ Welcome Center

220 E US 50 Come visit our welcome center in Versailles for information on lodging, events, the Milan '54 "Hoosiers" Museum, muzzleloading events and more. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 888.747.5394. ripleycountytourism.com & 🖨

Lodging

Moon Lite Motel

520 S Adams St. Local family-owned motel. Nice, quiet, homey atmosphere. Come stay with us while you enjoy the many area activities. 812.689.6004. Wi-Fi

Recreation

Versailles State Park

1387 E US 50 Swimming pool and waterplay area. Hiking, fishing, summer nature/history programs, mountain bike trails, kayak rentals. Reservable camping and group camp. Adm. chg. Hours vary.

812.689.6424. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ VEVAY 🔅

Lodging Schenck Mansion

Bed & Breakfast Inn 😅 206 W Turnpike St. Historic 35-room mansion overlooking the quaint rivertown of Vevay. Experience the elegance of a bygone

era. 812.427.2787. schenckmansion.com

Festivals

Swiss Wine Festival ★ Aug. 24-26, 2012; Aug. 23-25, 2013 Paul Ogle Riverfront Park Wine tasting pavilion, Midwest Championship Grape Stomp, beer garden, arts and crafts, amusement rides, entertainment and more. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.435.5688. SwissWineFestival.org &

VINCENNES

For Camping see page 111

Information

Vincennes/Knox County Convention and Visitors Bureau

779 S 6th St.

Relive the story of Indiana's territorial past in Vincennes and Knox County. Festivals, events, finest produce in Midwest. Indiana's First City is perfect for history enthusiasts. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 800.886.6443. vincennescvb.org

Attractions

George Rogers Clark National Historical Park

401 S 2nd St.

The park features a massive granite memorial commemorating the conquest of the Old Northwest Territory. No adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 9am-5pm. 812.882.1776. nps.gov/gero

Grouseland Wm. H. Harrison Mansion & Museum 🏛

3 W Scott

Home of William Henry Harrison from 1803-1812. He was later elected 9th President of the United States. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.882.2096.

grouselandfoundation.org

Indiana Military Museum 🏛

715 S 6th St.

Indoor and outdoor displays of vintage military vehicles, weaponry, uniforms and artifacts spanning the Civil War to the Persian Gulf. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.882.8668. indianamilitarymuseum.net &

Old Cathedral Complex

205 Church St.

The current church stands on the site of three previous churches. Across the courtyard is the library and museum with 12,000 rare books and documents. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.886.6443. vincennescvb.org &

Old French House and Indian Museum

Corner of First and Seminary Streets Former home of French fur trader and Indian interpreter Michel Brouillet and his family circa 1808, featuring an exhibit on fur trade. Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.882.7422. vincennescvb.org

Vincennes State Historic Sites 🏛

Corner of 1st St. and Harrison St. Visit the Territorial Capitol and Fort Knox II where troops mustered before the Battle of Tippecanoe. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sat. 9am-5pm. 812.882.7422. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Windy Knoll Winery 🤏

845 Átkinson Rd.

Quaint winery and vineyard with gift shop. Produces wine in small batches to ensure the highest quality. Mon.-Sun. Noon-6pm. Closed major holidays. 812.726.1600. windyknollwinery.com

Lodging

Best Western of Old Vincennes

1800 S Old Decker Rd. Conveniently located off Hwy. 41 at Willow St. Exit. Featuring an indoor pool, sauna and in-room refrigerators. 888.286.1918. vincennesmotel.com & € Wi-Fi

Comfort Suites

2555 Hart St. Conveniently located off Hwy. 41 at Hart St. Exit. Featuring in-room refrigerator and microwave. In-room hot tub available. 812.882.2244. choicehotels.com & 🔊 Wi-Fi

Days Inn

602 Old Wheatland Rd. Conveniently located off Hwy. 41 on 6th St. Features an on-site restaurant and lounge, banquet and meeting rooms. 812.886.9900. daysinn.com & # 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Doll Motel

2015 Old US 41 S Features clean rooms with free long distance and in-room refrigerator and microwave, 812,882,0000. vincennescvb.org Wi-Fi

Econo Lodge

600 Old Wheatland Rd. Conveniently located off Hwy. 41 on 6th St. Rooms include internet and free HBO. 812.882.1479. econolodge.com ₺ # Wi-Fi

Harrison Inn Bed and Breakfast

902 Buntin St.

Quaint bed and breakfast located in a nice residential neighborhood in the historic district of Vincennes. 812.882.3243. vincennescvb.org Wi-Fi

Haus Edelweiss Bed and Breakfast 😅

2814 N Church Rd.

Relax in a beautiful country setting. Home features a sun porch and enclosed hot tub. 812.726.4603. bandb-hausedelweiss.com # Wi-Fi

Holiday Inn Express

2720 Battery Rd. Hotel features an unstaffed business center, internet, fitness center, laundry, in-room iron/ironing board and coffeemaker. 812.886.6333. hiexpress.com & Wi-Fi

TownePlace Suites by Marriott

1320 Willow St. Vincennes' newest hotel. 812.255.1500. marriott.com/towneplace-suites/travel.mi & # R Wi-Fi

Vincennes Super 8

609 Shirlee St. Hotel features in-room microwave, coffeemaker, hairdryer and refrigerator. 812.882.5101. super8.com & 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨



WASHINGTON

Information

Daviess County Visitors Bureau

One Train Depot St. Call for special offers. Amish tours. Camping, boating, fishing, golf, festivals and events. Free brochures. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4pm. Closed major holidays. 800.449.5262. daviesscounty.net & 🖨

Attractions

Daviess County Amish Country

One Train Depot St. Customized, authentic Amish tours and itineraries. Step-on guide service for motorcoach tours. Visit craftsmen's shops and purchase Amish goods. Hours vary. 800.449.5262. daviesscounty.net 🖨

Daviess County Museum 🏛

212-1/2 E Main St. Many outstanding exhibits including, A Display of Funeral Customs, a permanent exhibit of funeral history. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.449.5262. daviesscountyhistory.net & 🖨

Lodging

Baymont Inn & Suites

7 Cumberland Dr. The hotel overlooks a tranquil pond in a peaceful setting and offers a refreshing resort-style, indoor heated pool. 812.254.7000. baymontinns.com/hotel/17847

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Budget Inn

412 S St. Central location to Washington business district. Clean, newly renovated rooms. Cable TV, high-speed internet, refrigerator/microwave in all rooms. 812.254.5816. daviesscounty.net

Fox Road Cabins

Rt.3 Box 500 Well-appointed, luxury hotel-like accommodations situated on a private, stocked, 18-acre fishing lake. Just 12 miles from Washington. 812.698.1142. foxroadcabins.com

Holiday Inn Express

1808 É National Hwy. Located in the heart of Amish Country! Suites with kitchenette, on-site fitness center and meeting space available. Restaurants nearby. 812.254.6666. hiexpress.com/washingtonin & 🙉 🖨

Theroff's Motel

2001 US Hwy. 50 E Enjoy our hospitality! Clean, cozy motel with reasonable rates. Within walking distance of restaurants, bowling alley, retail shops. Boat parking. 812.254.4279. theroffsmotel.com &

Festivals

20th Century Chevy Car Fest 🖈 Sep. 15-16, 2012; Sep. 14-15, 2013 Eastside Park, NE 21st St. and Memorial Ave. Cruise-in on Sat. night! Enjoy the fabulous show of custom cars and antiques. Awards on Sun. 812.617.5580. 20thcenturychevy.com &

Rail Fest ★
May 12-13, 2012; May 11-12, 2013 Main St. and Depot A celebration of Daviess County's railroad heritage! Train rides, history exhibits, model train displays, food and entertainment for the whole family. Hours vary. 812.257.0301. daviesscountyhistory.net &

Wine, Cheese and Art Festival ★

Sep. 7, 2012; Sep. 6, 2013 Meredith Plaza, Main and Second Streets Come sample varieties of wine and cheese while listening to music. View antique cars, art and more. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.254.5262. daviesscountychamber.com &

■ WESTPORT

Attractions

Harper Valley Farms 13094 S CR 600 W Bring the family to scenic 8-acre pumpkin patch. Farm animals, sunflower maze, squash, gourds, honey and other fall decorations available. Sep.-Oct. Hours vary. 812.591.3416. IndianaPumpkinPatch.com

Lodging

Grandma Pearcy's Hilltop Home

S Ironmine Rd. Enjoy the simple pleasures in life. Vacation rental home located on 120acre farm. Natural paradise. Skip stones in the creek. 812.591.3416. GrannyRetreat.com

LEGEND

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CAMPING	Group Rates / Discounts	Handicapped Accessible	Pets Allowed	On-site Lodging	RV Sites	Tents	Tables	Grates / Grills	Flush Toilets	Shower / Hot Water	Water Hookup	Sewer Hookup	Electric Hookup	Wi-Fi / Internet Access	Recreation Hall	Tennis On-site	Swimming On-site	Boat Rental On-site	Boating On-site	Fishing Lake On-site	Bait / Tackle On-site	Grocery On-site	Additional Notes
Bloomington Monroe Lake 4850 S SR 446 812.837.9546 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•	•	•	Water-based activities all year. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Brookville Brookville Lake 14108 SR 101 765.647.2657 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•	•	•	•	•	•	Archery and shooting ranges, hiking and horseshoe pits. Hunting in season. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Brown County Brown County State Park 1405 SR 46 W, Nashville 812.988.6406 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•			•		•	Horsemen's camping, saddlebarn with escorted rides, mountain bike trails. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Brownstown Jackson-Washington State Forest 1278 E SR 250 812.358.2160 in.gov/dnr/forestry		•	•		•	•	•	•												•			Offers playground area, hiking, biking, fishing, horseback riding, hunting, shaded and lakeside sites. Scenic Skyline Drive is nearby.
Jasonville Shakamak State Park 6265 W SR 48 812.665.2158 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•				•	•	•	•		•	Rent-a-cabin mini cabins. Summer nature/history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Loogootee West Boggs Park 16117 US Hwy. 231 812.295.3421 www.westboggs.com					•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•							•	•		Playground, basketball court, 3.5-acre stocked fishing lake, bait, tackle, gift shop.
Madison Clifty Falls State Park 2221 Clifty Dr. 812.273.8885 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•					•	Challenging hiking and scenic waterfalls. Nature center with nature/history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.1N.gov or 866.622.6746.
Mitchell Spring Mill State Park 3333 SR 60 E 812.849,3534 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•		•	Pioneer Village, "Gus" Grissom Memorial, mountain bike trail and nature center. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Montgomery Glendale Fish and Wildlife Area 6001 E 600 S 812.644.7711 daviesscounty.net					•		•		•	•			•							•			Provides quality hunting and fishing opportunities on 8,060 acres. Campgrounds include 67 Class A with electrical and 54 Class B sites.
Montgomery Lake & Ruritan Campgrounds Park Rd. 812.486.3255 daviesscounty.net											•	•	•										Located in peaceful setting on Montgomery Lake. Facility completed by the Ruritan Club with funds from their annual Turkey Trot.
North Vernon Muscatatuck Park 325 N St. Hwy. 3 & 7 812.346.2953 muscatatuckpark.com	•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•						Indiana's 4th state park is now county operated. Historic amenities in beautiful rolling hills by winding river. Nice hiking and mountain bike trails.
Oaktown New Vision RV Park 7\ 13552 N US Hwy. 41 812.745.2125 newvisionrvpark.com	•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•						•	•		Playground, basketball court, 3.5-acre stocked fishing lake, bait and tackle, ice, propane available, laundry on-site and gift shop.

SOUTH CENTRAL REGION

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CAMPING	Group Rates / Discounts	Handicapped Accessible	Pets Allowed	On-site Lodging	RV Sites	Tents	Tables	Grates / Grills	Flush Toilets	Shower / Hot Water	Water Hookup	Sewer Hookup	Electric Hookup	Wi-Fi / Internet Access	Recreation Hall	Tennis On-site	Swimming On-site	Boat Rental On-site	Boating On-site	Fishing Lake On-site	Bait / Tackle On-site	Grocery On-site	Additional Notes
Vallonia Starve Hallow 4345 S CR 275 W 812.358.3464 in.gov/dnr/forestry/4819.htm		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•	•	•	•	•		Access to nearby mountain bike and hiking trails. Beach, paved boat ramps, nature center. Reserve campsites at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Versailles Versailles State Park 1387 E US 50 812.689.6424 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•		•	Horse trails (BYOH) and mountain bike trails. Nature center with summer nature/history programs. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Vincennes Kimmell Park 2014 Oliphant Dr. 812.882.1140 vincennes.org		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•						•	•			Ten pads for RV hook-up, located along the Wabash River. Unlimited primitive camping. Dump station nearby.
Ouabache Trails County Park 2500 N Lower Fort Knox Rd. 812.882.4316 knoxcountyparks.com		•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•										Playgrounds, nature center, shelter houses, river fishing, archery range, firewood, ice, vending, walking trails, bike trails and bike rental.

SOUTH

Restart your culture engine
Escape to the scenic views of Southern
Indiana, where beauty entices around every
corner. Enthusiasts of art, local wine, historic
landmarks and natural beauty will find
satisfaction here.













ARTS AND CULTURE Treasure the past

Derby Dinner Playhouse in Clarksville will awaken your taste buds and set your toes tapping. Devour American cuisine from their ample buffet as a vocal ensemble serenades you, then sway to the sounds of a great Broadway musical. In Evansville, tour a proud warship that defended the Allies during World War II. The **USS LST 325** is preserved as a historic landmark where you can discover the ship's exciting history. Near Princeton, freed slaves made **Lyles Station** their home in 1849, and nearly half of today's residents are descendants of the original settlers. Visit their community museum, a former school, to experience a day in the life of a 1900s African-American child.



LOCALLY GROWN

Local flavor

Savor Southern Indiana flavor at French Lick Winery in French Lick, where wines are made from fresh-grown varieties of Indiana grapes. Sample their Heaven's View Vidal with hints of green apple and citrus and purchase local art on display. Chambourcin vines line the driveway of Turtle Run Winery near Corydon, symbolizing both the traditional and cutting-edge local wines served in their tasting room. Sip their best varieties, then let the winemaker teach you the nuances of the winemaking and aging processes on a winery tour. Near Lanesville, enjoy fall family fun at Deere Farms. Go to pick your favorite pumpkin and stay for the corn maze, train rides, pony carousel and Farm Scene Investigation.

FAMILY FUN

Sweet time together

The Schimpff family has been making mouthwatering candies at Schimpff's **Confectionery** in Jeffersonville since 1871. Watch their signature Cinnamon Red Hots being made on antique equipment and browse the candy museum and store, then have lunch at their old-fashioned soda fountain. In Evansville, cMoe is a child's wonderland for educational fun. Four galleries and a theater let kids build, create and express themselves through science, water fun and artistic performances. Holiday World & Splashin' Safari is both a thrilling amusement park and a water playland with rides and slides for all ages. Wildebeest, the world's longest water coaster, and The Voyage, the planet's number one wooden coaster, delight both kids and adults.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Naturally fun

Discover some of the world's largest naturally exposed fossil beds at Falls of the Ohio State Park in Clarksville. More than 100 exhibits at the Interpretive Center tell the story of the 390-million-year-old relics. Fast forward to the 19th century at

Lincoln State Park, where you can explore the natural and historic sites of Abraham Lincoln's boyhood home. Camp or stay in a cabin among Southern Indiana's rolling hills. Enjoy the excitement of summertime on the 8,800 acres of water and 26,000 acres of land at Patoka Lake. Rent a houseboat, then Jet Ski, sail or canoe across the waters of Patoka Lake.

GIRLFRIEND GETAWAY

Deutsche delights

Escape to Jasper to celebrate German heritage. The Schnitzelbank Restaurant brings Southern German cuisine to Indiana. Feast on favorites like Beef Rouladen, Sauerbraten and German Fried Potatoes as you listen to the Glockenspiel play every half hour. Delve in the culture during the four-day Strassenfest, a festival featuring live music and entertainment, athletic contests, pageants, a quilt show and a parade. Games, food and drink await at dozens of booths. Take a ride on the luxuriously restored Spirit of Jasper, a historic train with cars dating back to the early 20th century. Enjoy a catered meal in the dining car, then relax in the train's lounge, parlor and bar for the duration of the 18-mile round trip.



MORE WAYS TO RESTART YOUR ENGINE



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ANGEL MOUNDS

Ancient Indiana Metropolis EVANSVILLE INDIANA STATE MUSEUM

Angel Mounds 8215 Pollack Ave. Evansville, IN 47715 812.853.3956 indianamuseum.org

MISSISSIPPIAN MOUND MAYHEM

Visit one of the best preserved, prehistoric Native American sites in the United States! Marvel at the towering ceremonial mounds and temple area of this Mississippian culture village. Explore the visitors center exhibits. With demonstrations, day camps, activities and festivals throughout the year, Angel Mounds offers unique insight into Native American life.

Photos left to right: Angel Mounds visitor's center; Special events and festivals abound



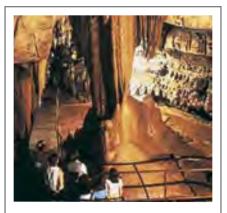
MARENGO CAVE

Indiana's most-visited natural attraction and national landmark. Two walking tours, gemstone mining, hiking, crawling tours, camping and picnicking.



Marengo Cave 400 E SR 64, Marengo, IN 47140 812.365.2705 ◆ marengocave.com

Photo by Gary Bordeaux



SQUIRE BOONE CAVERNS

Explore the caverns that brothers Squire and Daniel Boone discovered in 1790. Watch as corn is being ground and candles are being made.



Squire Boone Caverns 100 Squire Boone Rd. SW, Mauckport, IN 47142 812.732.4381 • squireboonecaverns.com

Rock of Ages



ANIMAL ADVENTURE!

Enjoy 700 animals from around the world, exotic flora and AMAZONIA, Forest of Riches as you explore this 50 acre zoo and botanic garden. Open daily.



Mesker Park Zoo & Botanic Garden 1545 Mesker Park Dr., Evansville, IN 47720 812.435.6143 • meskerparkzoo.com

Keel billed toucan - AMAZONIA Photo by Brad Fichter



Southern INDIANATrip Ideas



Home to the world's only post office with the Santa Claus name! Visit the world's first theme park, Holiday World & Splashin' Safari. Experience attractions such as Santa's Candy Castle, Santa Claus Christmas Store and Santa's Stables. Stay at festive places such as Lake Rudolph Campground & RV Resort, Santa's Cottages and Santa's Lodge.

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SantaClausInd.org

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Holiday World & Splashin' Safari, Wildebeest



Santa Claus Christmas Store



Santa's Candy Castle

Santa's Lodge



Visit where young Abe spent 14 childhood years and experience the Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial & Living Historical Farm, Lincoln State Park, Lincoln Amphitheatre and Lincoln Pioneer Village & Museum. Located only 5 miles from Santa Claus, Indiana.

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Lincoln Pioneer Village

Lincoln Boyhood **National Memorial**

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IANA Family Fun

Casino Aztar









Downtown River Walk

1. FUN, FRIENDLY, AFFORDABLE EVANSVILLE

Visit AMAZONIA Forest of Riches, a special exhibit at Mesker Park Zoo & Botanic Garden. On the Ohio River, enjoy a stroll along the downtown river walk with your family or a grown-up getaway at Casino Aztar.

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2. ADVENTURES CARVED IN STONE!

Rolling hills to hike, caves to explore, rivers to paddle and a state park to explore!

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3. HOOSIER NATIONAL FOREST and the OHIO RIVER

Travel the rolling hills, experience the grand adventure or quiet beauty that is Perry County.

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888.343.6262 • perrycountyindiana.org





2. CRAWFORD COUNTY IS OUTDOOR RECREATION

Boating, biking, cabins, camping, canoeing, caves, hiking, horseback riding, golfing, parks and watersports.

888.755.2282 • crawfordcountyindiana.com





5. HISTORIC CORYDON, HARRISON COUNTY

First State Capitol, Civil War Reenactment, State Park and Squire Boone Caverns.

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IA Grown-up Getaways





6. VISIT DUBOIS COUNTY!

Enjoy destination golfing, specialty and antique shops, train excursions, German heritage festivals, Christmas packages and more!

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800.968.4578 • visitduboiscounty.com







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Toyota Tours, Azalea Path, historic Lyles Station, restored train depot.

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8. VINCENNES/KNOX COUNTY **CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU**

Relive the Story of the Indiana Territory in Knox County.

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800.886.6443 • vincennescyb.org





9. TREAT YOURSELF TO DAVIESS COUNTY

Tour the quiet and simple joys of Amish life along the gentle rural landscapes.

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10. FRENCH LICK WEST BADEN, ORANGE COUNTY

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Clark/Floyd County sunnysideoflouisville.org

Martin County martincountyindianachamberofcommerce.org Pike County pikecountyin.org

Historic New Harmony (Posey County) newharmony.org

Washington washingtoncountytourism.org

Warrick County visitwarrick.com

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■ REGIONWIDE

Information

Indiana Foodways Alliance
The Alliance identifies and nurtures Indiana's varied community culinary heritages through education, partnerships, public relations and regional co-op. 317.853.4944. indianafoodways.com &

Attractions

Indiana Artisan

Look for the Indiana Artisan seal on select art, craft and food from the Hoosier State. It recognizes the work of the state's best craftspeople. 317,607.8715. IndianaArtisan.org & **=**

Indiana Uplands Wine Trail

Indiana's first wine trail featuring Brown County, Butler, Best, Carousel, Huber, French Lick, Oliver, Turtle Run and Winzerwald. Complete the passport. Hours vary. 812.936.2293. indianauplands.com &

■ BOONVILLE

Information Visit Warrick County

Information on fishing, camping, dining, shopping, golfing, historical tours and everything else Warrick County can offer for visitors. 800.636.9489. visitwarrick.com

BORDEN

For Camping see page 126

Lodging Rosewind Farm Bed and Breakfast

7646 Chapel Hill Rd. Relax in your own private, two-bedroom cottage on a farm near Starlight, IN and minutes from Louisville, KY. Many amenities, including a hot tub. 812.923.0762.

rosewindfarmbandb.com

Recreation

Deam Lake State Recreation Area 1217 Deam Lake

Modern recreation facility. 194acre lake. Family and horsemen campgrounds. New camping cabins. Trails, beach and seasonal boat rental. Mon.-Sun. 7:30am-11pm. Campground open Mar.-Nov. Beach open Memorial Day-Labor Day. Adm. chg. 812.246.5421. in.gov/dnr/forestry/4825.htm &

■ CAMPBELLSBURG

Lodging James Wilkins House Bed and Breakfast 😅

225 W Oak St. Victorian hospitality with full country parlor. Special packages available. Near many interesting attractions. 866.248.9198. jameswilkinshousebnb.com

CHARLESTOWN

For Camping see page 126

Recreation

Charlestown State Park

12500 SR 62 Offers direct boating access to the Ohio River and two river vista overlooks. Reservable full hook-up and electric campsites. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.256.5600. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

CLARKSVILLE

Information

Clark-Floyd Counties Convention & Tourism Bureau

Louisville, KY, Ohio River, performing arts, winery, golf, brewery, Lewis and Clark, Bass Pro Shops, candy museum, historic downtowns, state parks. Hours vary. 812.280.5566. sunnysideoflouisville.org & 🖨

Attractions

Derby Dinner Playhouse

525 Marriott Dr. Broadway musicals and comedies. Full buffet and salad bar included in ticket price. Group rates for 20 or more. Minutes from downtown Louisville, KY. Adm. chg. Mon. 9am-5pm; Tue.-Sat. 9am-8:30pm; Sun. 10am-8:30pm. 877.898.8577. derbydinner.com & 🖨

Recreation

Falls of the Ohio State Park

201 W Riverside Dr. 220 acres of world-class fossil beds to explore in the summer and fall. Interactive center, exhibits and programs all year. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.280.9970. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

CORYDON

For Camping see page 126

Information

Historic Corydon Harrison County Convention & Visitors Bureau

310 N Elm St.

Plan your getaway to Historic Corydon, Harrison County. Near Louisville, KY. Short drive from Indianapolis and Evansville. History, caves, wineries. Mon.-Sat. 9am-5pm; Sun. Noon-5pm. Closed major holidays. 888.738.2137. thisisindiana.org & 🖨

Attractions

Corydon Capitol State Historic Site fine

126 E Walnut St.

Explore Indiana's first state capitol building and visit the Governor's Headquarters in the town where the Hoosier constitution was formed. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.738.4890. indianamuseum.org 🕹 🖨

Lodging

2455 Landmark Ave. Enjoy our friendly service, clean rooms, full hot breakfast bar, indoor pool, hot tub, exercise room, free Wi-Fi. Packages and discounts available.

812.738.6688. hampton-inn.com/hi/corydon

Recreation

O'Bannon Woods State Park

7234 Old Forest Rd. SW Swimming pool and waterplay area. Nature center, historic haypress and pioneer village. Canoe access to the Blue River. Reservable electric campsites. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.738.8232. stateparks.IN.gov &

DALE

Lodging Best Western Plus Lincoln Land Inn 1339 N Washington St.

This family-friendly hotel features an indoor pool with a spa and deluxe continental breakfast served daily. Located 10 minutes from Santa Claus, IN. 812.937.7000. BestWesternLincolnLand.com & **Ħ** 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

1334 N Washington St. Located right off I-64 and only 10 minutes from Santa Claus, Indiana. This motel includes free Wi-Fi and an outdoor pool. 812.937.2294. GreenRiverMotel.com/Dale.htm
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Wi-Fi

Stone's Motel (Budget Host)

410 S Washington St.

The budget-friendly motel includes an outdoor heated pool, free Wi-Fi and a Mexican restaurant on-site. Located only 10 minutes from Santa Claus, IN. 812.937.4448. BudgetHost.com

🗃 👞 Wi-Fi

■ EVANSVILLE 💥

Information

Evansville Convention &

Visitors Bureau 401 SE Riverside Dr.

For all information on what to do and where to go, visit us at The Pagoda in downtown Evansville, Hours vary Closed major holidays. 800.433.3025. visitevansville.com &

Attractions

Angel Mounds State Historic Site 🏛 8215 Pollack Ave.

Experience the central plaza, towering ceremonial mounds and temple area of this Mississippian culture village. Explore the interpretive exhibitions. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.853.3956. indianamuseum.org & **⊆**

Burdette Park and Aquatic Center

5301 Nurrenbern Rd. Discovery lodge, overnight chalets, RV/ primitive camping, aquatic center, BMX track, shelters, fishing, walking trail from Burdette Park to USI campus. Miniature golf. Hours vary. 812.435.5602. burdettepark.org & **⊆**

Children's Museum of Evansville (cMoe)

22 SE Fifth St. Spark those curious minds and imaginations at cMoe! Over 18,000 square feet of interactive exhibits guarantees smiling faces and family fun! Adm. chg. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.464.2663. cmoekids.org ፟ ♣ 🖨

Mesker Park Zoo & Botanic Garden

1545 Mesker Park Dr. Features 700 animals from around the world, exotic flora and AMAZONIA. Forest of Riches, a state of the art South American rainforest exhibit. Adm. chg. Mon.-Sun. 9am-4pm. 812.435.6143. meskerparkzoo.com

Willard Library

21 First Ave. Indiana's oldest public library, richest in genealogy, local records, manuscripts and an art book collection. An architecturally breathtaking library. Mon.-Tue. 9am-8pm; Wed.-Fri. 9am-5:30pm; Sat. 9am-5pm; Sun. 1pm-5pm. Closed major holidays. 812.425.4309. willard.lib.in.us ₺ 🖨

Lodging Comfort Inn East

8331 E Walnut St.

Enjoy a leisurely stroll around our 16-acre lake on your way to one of the six restaurants within walking distance. 812.476.3600.

choicehotels.com/hotel/in156

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Hampton Inn Evansville

8000 Eagle Crest Blvd. Five-story, contemporary building located on the shores of Eagle Lake in Evansville's eastside shopping district. Three miles from historic Newburgh. 812.473.5000. evansville.hamptoninn.com

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Hampton Inn Evansville-Airport

5701 Hwy. 41 N Convenient to the airport, minutes away from all that Evansville has to offer. Just minutes from wonderful area attractions. Business center. 812.464.1010.

hamptoninn.com & R Wi-Fi

Hilton Garden Inn

220 Eagle Crest Dr. All rooms include microwave/ refrigerators. Great American Grill and Bar serving breakfast, dinner and evening room service. Romance packages available. 812.476.4000. evansville.hgi.com & 🙉 🖨

Holiday Inn Express Hotel and Suites 🞮

301 Circle Front Dr. Located on Evansville's east side, close to restaurants and Eastland Mall. Free high-speed internet. Whirlpool suites available. 812.473.2500. hiexpress.com/evansvillein & 🔈

HomeLife Studios and Suites

100 S Green River Rd. Affordable rates for long- and short-term stays. Fully furnished studio, one and two-bedroom suites with kitchens. Free high-speed internet access. 812.475.1700. homelifestudiosandsuites.com

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Festivals

Native American Days

Sep. 21-23, 2012; Sep. 27-29, 2013 Angel Mounds State Historic Site, 8215 Pollack Ave.

Angel Mounds' paramount event includes dance circle, Indian market as well as numerous demonstrations, activities, games and food vendors. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.853.3956. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Native American Fine Arts Market

Mar. 24-25, 2012; Mar. 23-24, 2013 Angel Mounds State Historic Site, 8215 Pollack Ave. Join Native American artisans and

craftsman from across the country for Angel Mounds' annual art show and sale the last weekend in March. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.853.3956. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

Shopping

Eastland Mall 800 N Green River Rd.

Mall features 120 specialty stores, three popular department stores and a beautiful food court with 10 eateries and a T.G.I. Friday's restaurant. Mon.-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sun. Noon-6pm. 812.477.7171.

eastlandmallevansville.com 🕹 🖨

■ FERDINAND

Attractions

Monastery Immaculate Conception 802 E 10th St.

"Castle on the Hill," home to Sisters of St. Benedict. Majestic domed church, retreat center, grotto, gift shop. Guided tours available. Call for times. Hours vary. 812.367.1411. thedome.org & 🖨

Lodging Harvest Moon Bed & Breakfast ♀ 210 Main St.

Warm and inviting. A wonderful Queen Anne dating back to the early 1900s. Warm colors, period decor and Hoosier Hospitality! 877.367.1881. harvestmoonbedandbreakfast.com

■ FRENCH LICK 💥

Information

Visit French Lick West Baden

8291 W Beechwood Ave. Complete visitors center offering personal trip planning assistance, area and regional visitor information, computer and internet access available. Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm; Sat. 10am-3pm; Sun. Noon-3pm. Closed major holidays. 855.293.6759. visitfrenchlickwestbaden.com & 🖨

Attractions

French Lick Scenic Railway Museum 8594 W SR 56

20-mile train ride through parts of the Hoosier National Forest, the 2,200foot long Burton Tunnel and past several points of historical interest. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 800.748.7246. indianarailwaymuseum.org & 🖨

French Lick West Baden Museum 🏛 489 S Maple St.

Explore the rich history of French Lick West Baden area through exhibits, artifacts and circus diorama of the Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus. Hours vary. Adm. chg. 812.936.3592. & 🖨

Lodging Artists Inn and Cottages

592 S Summit St. Historic inn within walking distance of downtown. Area attractions are at your fingertips. Adjacent cottages make it easy to accommodate groups. 812.936.7333.

artistsinnandcottages.com

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Big Splash Adventure Indoor Water Park & Resort

8505 W SR 56 Family-fun resort featuring a 40,000-square-foot indoor water park with retractable roof, interactive arcade and all of the latest amenities. 877.936.3866.

bigsplashadventure.com

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Blue Prairie Bed and Breakfast

6538 W CR 875 S

Modern farmhouse situated on 120 acres featuring a spacious private suite, gourmet breakfast served in room. Cabin rental available. Adults only. 812.936.3000. blueprairiebedandbreakfast.com

Comfort Suites

9530 W SR 56 All-suite hotel with whirlpool suites available. Minutes from French Lick. West Baden and Patoka Lake.

812.936.5300. comfortsuites.com க் **ர்** 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

French Lick Cabins at Patoka Lake Village

7900 W CR 1025 S Stay and enjoy fully furnished, pet-friendly, modern log cabins while being less than a minute from Osborn boat ramp and floating fishing pier. 812.936.9854. plvlogcabins.com # 🖨

French Lick Springs Hotel 8670 W SR 56

Historic four-star hotel with conference and event centers, Vegas-style casino, championship golf, riding stables, shopping and kids activities. 888.936.9360.

frenchlick.com & # 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

Lane's Motel

8483 W SR 56

Motel close to the French Lick Resort, Patoka Lake, Paoli Peaks and area restaurants. Fish cleaning station and campground on-site. 812.936.9919. lanesmotel.com & # 🐝 Wi-Fi

Michael T's Motel

9633 W SR 56

Close to area attractions such as golf, Paoli Peaks and Patoka Lake. On-site boat hookups. 812.936.4656. michaeltsmotel.com #

Sunrise Cove

S SR 145

Quiet and secluded, fully furnished cabin close to Patoka Lake. Cabin includes game room with pool table, fooseball, air hockey and a game table. 502.741.5730. patokacabin.com

Wet 'N Wild Cabin Rental

7777 W CR 875 S

Three bedroom, two bath cabin fully furnished and close to Painter Creek Boat Ramp at Patoka Lake and the French Lick West Baden area. 502.295.6043. vrbo.com

Wilstem Guest Ranch

Hwy. 150 W A 1,100-acre secluded property. Great for family reunions, weddings and corporate retreats. Banquet and meeting space available. Horseback riding and hiking. 812.936.4484. vostheranch.com # 👞 Wi-Fi 🖨

Shopping

Bear Hollow Wood Carvers 8695 W Jack Carnes Way, Ste. E Wood carvings from award-winning artist Jason Emmons. Products from Indiana visual and food artisans. Souvenirs and one-of-a-kind gifts. Jan.-Mar. Mon.-Thu. and Sun. 10am-6pm; Fri.-Sat. 10am-8pm. Closed major holidays and Mondays. 812.936.3030. bearhollowwoodcarvers.com &

GENTRYVILLE

Attractions

Colonel Jones Home 620 E CR 1575 N

Restored to interpret the 1930s home of merchant, Civil War soldier and friend of Abraham Lincoln. No adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.937.4710. stateparks.IN.gov

■ HAUBSTADT

Lodging

Quality Inn & Suites

I-64 at US Hwy. 41 N Just minutes from the Evansville Airport, Casino Aztar and Mesker Park Zoo. Free airport transportation. Jacuzzi suites available. Newly renovated. 812.768.5878.

qualityinn.com/hotel-haubstadtindiana-IN164 & # 🔊 Wi-Fi 🖨

■ HAZLETON

Attractions

Azalea Path Arboretum &

Botanical Gardens 1502 N CR 825 W Fifty acres of landscaped trails,

lakes, water features, wood carvings, native plants and trees, plus over 300 varieties of azaleas. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Mon.-Sun. 7am-8:30pm. 812.354.3039. azaleapatharboretum.org & 🖨

HUNTINGBURG

Lodging

Quality Inn Huntingburg

406 E 22nd St. Sixteen miles from Holiday World, 25 miles from Patoka Lake. All rooms have micro-fridge and Wi-Fi. Two-room family suites available. 812.683.2334. qualityinn.com/hotel/in177

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Association of Indiana Museums

Indiana Bed and Breakfast Association

Indiana Hotel & Lodging Association

Indiana State Festival Association

Indiana Restaurant Association

Indiana Wine Grape Council

Main Street Community

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Groups Welcome

Indoor Pool

Outdoor Pool

Pets Allowed



Shopping

Historic Downtown Huntingburg

4th St. and Hwy 231 Charming Victorian downtown featuring antique and specialty shops, unique eateries and brick sidewalks. On National Register of Historic Places. Hours vary. 866.586.8494. huntingburgchamber.org &

■ JASPER 統

Information

Dubois County Visitors Center 2704 Newton St.

Visit Dubois County! Tourist train, monastery, shopping, multiple festivals, Patoka Lake, hotels, houseboat rentals, B&Bs. Minutes from Holiday World. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 800.968.4578. visitduboiscounty.com ₺ 🖨

Jasper Chamber of Commerce

302 W 6th St. Tourist information center. Maps, walking tour, attractions, lodging, Strassenfest, business information and general resource center. Outside map rack. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm. Closed major holidays. 812.482.6866. jasperin.org &

Attractions

Dubois County Museum 🏛

2704 Newton St. New "Main Street Dubois County" children's addition. One of Indiana's largest county museums. Features German ancestry, farm machinery and more. Tue.-Fri. 10am-2pm; Sat. 10am-4pm; Sun. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays. 812.634.7733. duboiscountymuseum.org & 🖨

Jasper Arts Center

951 College Ave. Live performing arts center in southern Indiana. Music, drama, comedy, family fun, gallery and much more. Easy to reach. Free parking. Loads of fun! Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5pm; Sun. Noon-3pm. Closed Saturdays. Closed major holidays. 812.482.3070.

jasperarts.org &

Spirit of Jasper Train & Jasper City Mill 201 Mill St.

Ride in style aboard the Spirit of Jasper tourist train. Two excursion options plus some special trips available. Jasper City Mill located near the train depot. Adm. chg. Apr.-Nov. Hours vary. 812.482.5959. spiritofjasper.com

Lodging
Jasper Inn and Convention Center 951 Wernsing Rd.

200-room hotel and convention center. The family-friendly indoor pool area boasts an arcade, pizzeria, sauna and hot tub. Free continental breakfast. 800.872.3176. jasperinncc.com & # 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Festivals

Jasper Strassenfest 🖈

Aug. 2-5, 2012; Aug. 1-4, 2013 Courthouse Square and citywide Family-oriented street festival with German music, food, events, dancing, rides, games, beer garden, 5k run/ walk, car show, parade and great fun! Hours vary. 812.482.6866. iasperstrassenfest.org &

Shopping

Jasper's Downtown Shopping District

Courthouse Square/Main St. Beautiful downtown full of vitality and great shops. The heart of Jasper!
Day trip brochure detailing stores and events. Find us on Facebook. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 812.482.6866. downtownjasper.org & 🖨

■ JEFFERSONVILLE 統

Information

Clark-Floyd Counties Convention & Tourism Bureau

315 Southern Indiana Ave. Louisville, KY, Ohio River, performing arts, winery, golf, brewery, Lewis and Clark, Bass Pro Shops, candy museum, historic downtowns, state parks. Hours vary. 812.280.5566. sunnysideoflouisville.org & 🖨

Attractions

Howard Steamboat Museum & Mansion 🏛

1101 E Market St. Elegant Victorian mansion, original furnishings, intricate carvings, steamboat exhibits, models, tools, artifacts. Personal, informative guided tours. Adm. chg.Tue.-Sat. 10am-4pm; Sun. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays. 812.283.3728. steamboatmuseum.org & 🖨

Schimpff's Confectionery

347 Spring St. Manufacturing confectionery specializing in hard candies and chocolates since 1891. Candy demonstration area, candy museum, soda fountain and lunch room. Mon.-Fri. 10am-5pm; Sat. 10am-3pm. Closed major holidays. 812.283.8367. schimpffs.com & 🖨

■ LEAVENWORTH

For Camping see page 126

Information

Crawford County Welcome Center 6225 E Industrial Ln.

Request information about year-round fun and adventure. Boating, fishing, caving, hiking, biking, cabins, inns and dining options. Near attractions. Hours vary. 888.755.2282. crawfordcountyindiana.com &

Lodging Old Stone Lodge & Grille

6908 S SR 66

Under new ownership. On-site restaurant, banquet and meeting space, 34 rooms, Jacuzzi room, free local calls, smoking rooms, truck and bus parking. 812.739.4700. oldstonelodge.com & # Wi-Fi =

LINCOLN CITY

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Attractions

Buffalo Run Farm, Grill & Gifts 3804 SR 162

Visit the farm to see and feed live buffalo. You will experience the Indiana frontier at Buffalo Run, complete with tepee and Lincoln cabin. Hours vary. 812.937.2799.

IndianasAbeLincoln.org/buffalorun & 🖨

Lincoln Amphitheatre

15032 N County Road 300 E As one of the largest roofed amphitheatres in the nation, Lincoln Amphitheatre is a majestic 1,500-seat outdoor venue located in Lincoln State Park. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. Closed major holidays. 800.264.4223. LincolnAmphitheatre.org 🕹 🖨

Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial 3027 E South St.

Visit the site where Abraham Lincoln spent his childhood and learn about the lives of the Lincoln family who lived here in a pioneer community. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.937.4541. nps.gov/libo & 🖨

Lodging Family Cabins at Lincoln State Park 15476 N County Road 300 E

Summer housekeeping cabins sleep six. Easy drive to Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial and Holiday World and Splashin' Safari. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. 812.937.4710. camp.IN.gov

Recreation

Lincoln State Park

15476 N CR 300 E

"Here I grew up" said Lincoln of the area including park. Abraham Lincoln Bicentennial Plaza, swimming, canoeing, fishing and hiking. Camp cottages. Sleeps 4-16. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.937.4710. stateparkś.IN.gov 🕹 🖨

MAGNET

Colucci Log Cabins on the Ohio River 177735 Magnet Valley Rd.

Quiet relaxation. Luxury log homes right on the Ohio River's edge, surrounded by the Hoosier National Forest. Heaven here on earth! 877.275.5642. coluccirivercabins.com & # 👟 🖨

MARENGO

Recreation

Marengo Cave 400 E SR 64

Indiana's most-visited natural attraction and National Landmark. Two walking tours, gemstone mining, hiking, crawling tours, camping and picnicking. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.365.2705. marengocave.com

MARIAH HILL

Lodging Rolling Hills Vacation Home 4702 E 1800 N

Relax in this fully furnished, spacious, two-story home with a wood-burning fireplace and two covered porches. 812.639.7415. vrbo.com/302740

MAUCKPORT

Recreation

Squire Boone Caverns

100 Squire Boone Rd. SW One-hour guided cavern tours take you past stalactites, stalagmites, columns and more. Come and see what has taken thousands of years to create. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.732.4381. squireboonecaverns.com

■ MILLTOWN

Recreation

Cave Country Canoes

112 W Main St. Paddle Indiana's first scenic and natural river. Blue River is ideal for families and beginners. All-day to

multiple-day trips. Adm. chg. May-Sep. Hours vary. 812.365.2705. canoetheblue.com

■ NEW ALBANY 統

Information

Clark-Floyd Counties Convention & Tourism Bureau

Louisville, KY, Ohio River, performing arts, winery, golf, brewery, Lewis and Clark, Bass Pro Shops, candy museum, historic downtowns, state parks. Hours vary. 812.280.5566. sunnysideoflouisville.org & 🖨

Attractions

Carnegie Center for Art and History in 201 E Spring St.

Contemporary art gallery, history museum and former Carnegie library offering changing exhibits, hand-carved dioramas and Underground Railroad exhibit. Tue.-Sat. 10am-5:30pm. Closed major holidays. 812.944.7336. carnegiecenter.org & 🖨



Culbertson Mansion State Historic Site 🏛

914 E Main St. This 25-room French Second Empire mansion shows the opulence that surrounded affluent merchants during the mid-Victorian era. Adm. chg. Apr.-Dec. Hours vary. 812.944.9600. indianamuseum.org & 🖨

■ NEW HARMONY 秋

For Camping see page 126

Lodging

Family Cabins at Harmonie State Park

3451 Harmonie State Park Rd. Beautiful log cabins sleep six or eight. Easy drive to New Harmony historic sites. Details and reservations at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746. 812.682.4821. camp.IN.gov

New Harmony Inn ⊨

508 North St. Lakeside rooms. Red Geranium Restaurant, wedding/meeting/group facilities, fitness center, pool. Petfriendly. Summit Hotel by Preferred Hotel Group. 800.782.8605. NewHarmonyInn.com & # 🙉 Wi-Fi 🖨

Recreation

Harmonie State Park

3451 Harmonie State Park Rd. Swimming, fishing, hiking, bicycle trails, sand volleyball, summer nature/ history programs. Log-style family cabins. Mountain biking and horse trails (BYOH). Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.682.4821. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

■ NEWBURGH 統

Information

Historic Newburgh 9 W Jennings

This picturesque river town has many interesting places to eat and shop. Enjoy the Sat. morning Farmers Market, May-Oct. 812.853.2815. historicnewburgh.org &

OAKLAND CITY

Lodging Diplomat Motel Hwy. 57 N

The natural beauty of scenic Southwestern Indiana offers the perfect setting for a week or a weekend of adventure and fun. Call for reservations. 812.749.4300. & # Wi-Fi

PAOLI

Lodging Big Locust Farm Bed and Breakfast 🗷

3295 W CR 25 S Wake up to a big country breakfast at this 93-acre country paradise featuring a newer farmhouse and flower gardens. Near Paoli Peaks and French Lick. 812.723.4856. biglocustfarm.com Wi-Fi

Lost River Inn Bed and Breakfast 3593 N CR 200 W

Newer home in a relaxing country setting and close to many attractions. Two rooms, one with a Jacuzzi, both with private baths. 812.865.4496. lostriverinn.net Wi-Fi

Midwest Inn

1917 W Main St. Non-smoking motel with outdoor swimming pool. All rooms have cable TV, refrigerators and microwaves and free Wi-Fi service. 812.723.4555. fritchproperties.com . Wi-Fi

Ritz Motel

2000 W Main St. Newly remodeled. Suites, singles and doubles available. Close to Paoli Peaks and area attractions. 812.723.2530. ★ Wi-Fi 🖨

Trailview Ski Lodge 1917 W Main St.

Step right out of the lodge and onto the slopes. Great for groups. Fireplaces and fully furnished kitchens. 812.723.3369. fritchproperties.com 🖨

Underwood Inn

405 N Gospel Beautiful home built in 1868 featuring two completely refurbished guest rooms and bathroom with clawfoot bathtub. 812.723.4639. Wi-Fi

PATOKA LAKE RECREATION AREA

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Lodging

Bob's White Oaks Cabins at Patoka Lake

2140 N Morgan Rd., Taswell Secluded on 85 acres of pristine woodland. Modern, fully equipped cabins. Ideal for family vacations, corporate retreats and reunions. 877.338.3120. patokalake.com # 🖨

Cabins Floating at Patoka Lake

2991 N Dillard Rd., Birdseye Offering all the amenities of home, along with the linens and towels. Park your boat next to your cabin in a private slip. Stay and play. 888.819.6916. floatingcabins.net & Wi-Fi 🖨

The Cove-Patoka Lake

5904 W Little Patoka Rd., Taswell Located 30 seconds from the Little Patoka Boat Ramp. Cabin rentals, boat storage, bait/convenience store, fish cleaning station. 812.338.3296. thecoveonpatoka.com #

Hoosier Hills Marina

10306 E Lick Fork Marina Rd., Celestine Houseboat vacations on beautiful Patoka Lake. Rent a four-, five- or sixbedroom houseboat for a weekend or mid-week vacation. 812.678.3313. hoosierhillsmarina.com

Recreation

Patoka Lake

3084 N Dillard Rd., Birdseye Staffed interpretive center. Swimming, boating, picnicking, hiking, fishing and hunting in season. Reservable camping and shelters. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.685.2464. stateparks.IN.gov & 🖨

Patoka Lake Marina & Lodging

2991 N Dillard, Birdseye Houseboat rentals and floating cabin rentals. Land based cabins, rooms and suites across from Patoka Station. Stay and play at Patoka Lake. Adm. chg. 888.819.6916. patokalakemarina.com & 🖨

PRINCETON

Information

Gibson County Visitors & Tourism Bureau

702 W Broadway Information on Toyota Visitors Center and tours, Lyles Station, restored train depot. Indiana's oldest restaurant and Azalea Path Botanical Gardens. Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. 812.385.0999. gibsoncountyin.org & 🖨

Attractions

Lyles Station Historic School & Museum

953 N 500 W

African-American historical site offers museum, hands-on activities, Heritage Classroom and Alonzo Fields gallery. Groups welcome. Appointments welcome. Adm. chg. Jun.-Aug. Tue., Thu., Sat. 1pm-4pm. Closed major holidays. 812.385.2534. lylesstation.org &

Toyota Visitors Center/Plant Tours

4000 Tulip Tree Dr.

See a Toyota manufacturing facility and its production up close. Plant tours twice a day. Reservations recommended and can be made online. Tue. 1pm-7pm, Wed.-Fri. 9am-3pm. Closed major holidays. 888.696.8211. tourtoyotaindiana.com & 🖨

Lodging Days Inn

Hwy. 41 and SR 64 Jacuzzi rooms available, free internet access. Weekly rates. 812.386.1200.

Fairfield Inn by Marriott

2828 Dixon St. Close to several shopping centers and restaurants. We also offer fitness facilities, a business center and free high-speed internet. 812.385.4300. marriott.com/EVVPC ₺ ★ Wi-Fi

Hampton Inn ⊨

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Maxam House Bed & Breakfast

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Yesterday's charm with today's convenience. Beautiful Victorian home built in 1884. Private baths, library and Jacuzzi available. Long-term rates \$35 per night. 812.385.2965. maxamhouse.com & Wi-Fi

■ ROCKPORT

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Attractions

Holiday Drive-In

644 N Hwy. 161 Catch the latest big-screen flicks at Holiday Drive-In, one of few remaining drive-in movie theaters in the U.S. Adm. chg. Apr.-Sep. Hours vary. 812.649.2857. HolidayDriveIn.com ₺ 🖨

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Lincoln Pioneer Village and Museum

928 Fairground Dr. Take a relaxing look back into history with 14 Lincoln-era replica cabins. Home to hundreds of fascinating artifacts from the area's historic past. Adm. chg. May-Oct. Sun.-Sat. 10am-6pm. 812.649.9147. LincolnPioneerVillage.com ₺ 🖨

Lodging Comfort Inn & Suites

1355 N Plaza Dr. Located right off Hwy. 231 near Rockport, the inn offers an indoor pool with a hot tub, fitness center and a deluxe continental breakfast. 812.649.2979.

ComfortInn.com & R Wi-Fi

Friendly Farms Bed & Breakfast 2354 S 200 W

Reserve a night at Friendly Farms' lodge or condo cottage and enjoy horseback riding around the facility's 48-acre property near the Ohio River. 270.570.3054.

RameyCamps.com/site/ Bed&Breakfast.htm ₺ # 🖨

Locust Hill Motel

815 S SR 161 A quiet motel located on Hwy. 161 near Owensboro, KY. 812.649.9918.

Rockport Inn Bed & Breakfast 130 S 3rd St.

This 19th century Victorian inn is quiet and cozy, located near the Ohio River in Rockport. McKenzie's Bar and Restaurant is located next to the inn.

Festivals

Rockport Christmas Festival

812.649.2664. & Wi-Fi 🖨

Dec. 1-2, 2012; Dec. 7-8, 2013 Don't miss the Rockport Christmas Festival the first weekend in December! Browse through Christmas crafts, watch the annual Christmas program and more. Hours vary. 812.359.5267. SantaClausInd.org & ■

■ SAINT MEINRAD

Attractions

Monkey Hollow Winery [™] 11534 E CR 1740 N

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Saint Meinrad Archabbey 200 Hill Dr.

Offers a peaceful and spiritual setting with opportunities for prayer and retreat with Benedictine monks. Guided tours available. Hours vary. 812.357.6611. SaintMeinrad.edu & 🖨

Lodging

Saint Meinrad Archabbey Guest House and Retreat Center 200 Hill Dr.

The quiet atmosphere and beautiful grounds make this a very serene place to stay. Located only 15 minutes from Holiday World in nearby Saint Meinrad. 800.581.6905. SaintMeinrad.edu/ Monastery_Guest.aspx & Wi-Fi ഒ

■ SALEM

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Information

Washington County Tourism Bureau 210 E Market St., Ste. 104 A great place for all seasons! Use our website to begin planning your next visit! Information on

attractions, lodging, shopping and dining. Hours vary. 812.883.4303. washingtoncountytourism.org

Attractions

4433 S Becks Mill Rd. Restored 1800s era water-powered grist mill, wool carding machines, spinning, working loom, hiking trails, picnic area and gift shop. Adm. chg. Apr.-Nov. Fri.-Sat. 11am-4pm; Sun. 1pm-4pm. 812.883.5147. becksmill.org 🕹 🖨

Lodging Delaney Creek Park

8215 Delaney Park Rd. Several cabins plus modern campsites. Delaney is located next to the Knobstone Trail. Huge lake for fishing, swimming and boating. 812.883.5101. delaneypark.com &

Lanning House and 1920 Annex 🖾 206 E Poplar St.

Post Civil War home. Part of the Salem Museum. Great place for genealogical researchers, history lovers and antique buffs. 812.883.3484. lanninghouse.com &

Salem Motel

1209 W Mulberry St.
Newly renovated motel conveniently located for easy access to all events and activities in the Salem/Washington County area. 812.883.2491. washingtoncountytourism.org

Sugarbush Cottage

321 N Garrison Hollow Rd. Located on a farm in scenic southern Indiana that makes 100% pure maple syrup. Site of annual Maple Syrup Festival. Farm vacation. 877.841.8851. Imsugarbush.com

The Wildwood Acres and **Twin Creek Outfitters**

Situated on 400 acres of private land in the Rush and Twin Creek Valleys, the lodge offers packages, hiking, hunting, horseback riding and fishing. 812.883.5046.

thewildwoodacres.com

SANTA CLAUS

For Camping see page 126

Information

Spencer County Visitors Bureau

39 N Kringle Place Your main source of tourist information for Santa Claus, Indiana and Lincoln's Indiana Boyhood Home. Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm. 888.444.9252. SantaClausInd.org

Attractions

Frosty's Fun Center

15 S Cedar Ln. Enjoy the Christmas-themed, 18-hole miniature golf course with an arcade, tasty snacks, sandwiches, ice cream, fresh pizza and a giant melting snowman. Jun.-Aug. Hours vary. 812.937.1902. SantasLodge.com/frosty's & 🖨

Holiday World & Splashin' Safari

452 E Christmas Blvd. Named Nation's #1 Water Park by TripAdvisor.com. Three of the world's top-rated wooden roller coasters. Free soft drinks, sunscreen and parking. Adm. chg. May-Oct. Hours vary. 877.463.2645. HolidayWorld.com

Santa Claus Christmas Store

33 N Kringle Place Enjoy shopping at this gigantic store featuring Christmas gifts, decorations, collectibles, fudge and other sweet treats and nearly 5,000 ornaments. Hours vary. 877.224.1772. SantaClausChristmasStore.com & ■

Santa Claus Museum

69 N SR 245 View historic photos, artifacts and antiques of the town, famous post office and Santa Claus Land. Next to historic Santa statue. 812.544.2434. SantaClausMuseum.org & ■

Santa's Candy Castle 15499 N SR 245

Blends old-world charm and modernday spin to provide a magical experience for believers of all ages. May-Dec. Hours vary. 812.544.3900. SantasCandyCastle.com & 🖨

Santa's Stables

6709 E County Road 1475 N A family-friendly horseback riding experience led by trained horseback guides. Wooded surroundings. Fifteen- and 45-minute rides. Pony rides. Adm. chg. Apr.-Oct. Hours vary. 812.340.2288. Santas-Stables.com

Lodging Lake Rudolph Campground & RV Resort

78 N Holiday Blvd. Located next door to Holiday World, Lake Rudolph Campground & RV Resort features over 240 family rental RVs and cabins and over 230 RV and tent sites. 877.478.3657. LakeRudolph.com & # 🖛 Wi-Fi 🖨

Santa's Lakeside Cottages

1405 W Christmas Blvd. Located just a few miles from Holiday World, the cottages surround a scenic lake with Elf Park featuring a playground for the kids. 812.686.2628. SantasCottages.com & Wi-Fi 🖨

Santa's Lodge

91 W Christmas Blvd. Decorated for Christmas 365 days a year, the lodge is located within a mile of Holiday World. Also, St. Nick's Restaurant is located on-site. 812.937.1902. SantasLodge.com & S Wi-Fi

Silent Night Vacation & Golf Rentals

301 and 303 Longest Dr. Located just over a mile from Holiday World, the new vacation rentals provide a fun and comfortable place for the entire family. 877.962.7465. ChristmasLake.com & Wi-Fi ឝ

Wilmes Farmhouse

21674 N 875 E

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Recreation

Christmas Lake Golf Course

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Festivals

Santa Claus Christmas

Nov. 30-Dec. 2, Dec. 7-9, Dec. 14-16, 2012; Dec. 6-8, Dec. 13-15, Dec. 20-22, 2013 Visit Santa Claus, Indiana: America's Christmas Hometown, for three weekends of family fun during the Santa Claus Christmas Celebration. Hours vary. 888.444.9252. SantaClausInd.org ₺ 🖨

■ SCOTTSBURG

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Lodging

Hampton Inn & Suites

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Recreation

Hardy Lake 4171 E Harrod Rd. Boating, swimming, fishing and hunting in season. Summer nature/ history programs. Winterized restrooms and shower house for cold weather camping. Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.794.3800. stateparks.IN.gov b 🖨

■ TELL CITY

Information

Perry County Convention & Visitors Bureau 601 Main St., Ste. A Where the hills of the Hoosier National Forest overlook the historic Ohio River. Enjoy outdoor recreation and quiet, scenic beauty. Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm. Closed major holidays. 888.343.6262. perrycountyindiana.org & 🖨

■ WEST BADEN SPRINGS 統

Attractions

French Lick Winery 8145 W Sinclair St. Enjoy wine tasting, case discounts, gift shop and observation area. Café features Italian cuisine, including pizza, pasta, salads, desserts. Tue.-Thu. and Sun. 11am-5pm; Fri-Sat. 11am-9pm. 812.936.2293. frenchlickwinery.com &

Landmarks Emporium & Tours-French Lick/West Baden SR 56

Daily guided tours immerse you in the stories of the restored hotels in French Lick and West Baden Springs Adm. chg. Hours vary. 812.936.5870. indianalandmarks.org & 🖨

Lodging
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Lost Resort of French Lick

1100 N CR 1075 W Rustic barn converted into a retreat overlooking the new Pete Dye Golf Course and close to the French Lick Resort. Fish and relax in a natural setting. 812.345.9251. lostresortfrenchlick.com # 🖨

West Baden Springs Hotel

8538 W Baden Ave. Historic four-star hotel featuring a domed atrium. Balcony atrium rooms provide panoramic view. Many activities available. Award-winning spa and hotel. 888.936.9360. frenchlick.com & # 🔊 🖛 Wi-Fi 🖨

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Borden Deam Lake State Recreation Area 1217 Deam Lake Rd. 812.246.5421 in.gov/dnr/forestry/4825.htm	5	•	•	0	•	•	•	•	•	•	×	S	•	>	~	F	•	•	•	•	80	5	Additional Notes Modern recreation area, 194-acre lake (electric motors only), beach, boat rental and shelters. New camping cabins. Reserve at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Charlestown Charlestown State Park 12500 SR 62 812.256.5600 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•										Challenging hiking, summer nature/ history programs, boat ramp to Ohio River. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Corydon O'Bannon Woods State Park 7234 Old Forest Rd. SW 812.738.8232 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•			•			Pool and family aquatic area. Bridle trails and horsemen's camping. Canoe access to the Blue River. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
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New Harmony Harmonie State Park 3451 Harmonie State Park Rd. 812.682.4821 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•					•	Summer nature/history programs. Nice log style family housekeeping cabins. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Patoka Lake Recreation Area Patoka Lake 3084 N Dillard Rd., Birdseye 812.685.2464 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•				•	•	•	•	•	•	Staffed nature center, raptor rehabilitation area, hunting in season. Reserve campsites and shelters at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.
Rockport Oakridge Campground 4131 N Silverdale Rd. 812.649.2860	•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•					•			Relax and enjoy your camping experience as nature's beauty surrounds you. 36 campsites available.
Salem Delaney Creek Park 8215 Delaney Park Rd. 812.883.5101 delaneypark.com		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	Several cabins and modern camping sites. Delaney is located next to the Knobstone Trail. Huge lake for fishing, swimming and boating.
Santa Claus Lake Rudolph Campground & RV Resort 74. 15 78 N Holiday Blvd. 877.478.3657 LakeRudolph.com	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•		•	•	•	Located next door to Holiday World, Lake Rudolph Campground & RV Resort features over 240 family rental RVs and cabins and over 230 RV and tent sites.
Scottsburg Hardy Lake 4171 E Harrod Rd. 812.794.3800 stateparks.IN.gov		•	•		•	•	•	•		•			•				•	•	•	•			Stable water level means great fishing. Winterized restroom for comfortable winter camping. Reserve campsites at camp.IN.gov or call 866.622.6746.

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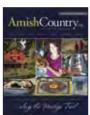


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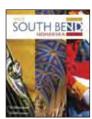
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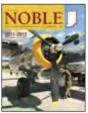
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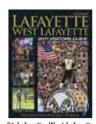
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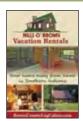
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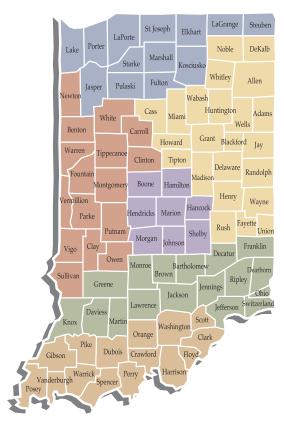
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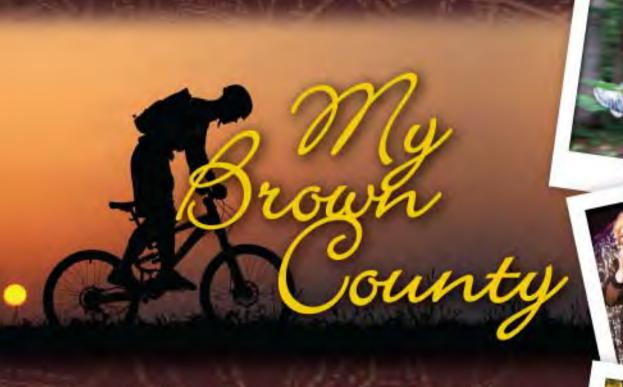
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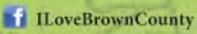
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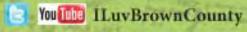


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